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So the vote on passage could come

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RODRIGUEZ SEEKS 3RD REELECTION

Commissioner Of Finance And Utilities Makes Public Candidacy

W. D. H. Rodriguez, commissioner of finance and utilities, yesterday announced his candidacy for reelection. Mr. Rodriguez has held the post continuously since he was first elected to it in 1936.

In making his announcement, Mr. Rodriguez promised "unceasing efforts to keep the expansion of public utilities in step with the growth of the city."

Mr. Rodriguez pointed to a number of accomplishments during his 12-year term in office. Among these were replacement of the city street car system with buses; doubled capacity of the municipal power plant and distribution system; installation of 12 miles of water mains affording fire protection to a number of areas previously without it, and more recently, completion of the DeSiard Street White Way.

In 1940, Mr. Rodriguez sponsored, and had enacted by the state legislature, a measure making possible expansion of public utilities on a revenue basis, a step which eliminated mortgages or additional taxation.

Several years later, the commissioner brought out about passage of legislation which for the first time in Louisiana allowed a municipality to finance installation of sanitary sewer lines on an area assessment basis, rather than by general taxation.

Mr. Rodriguez was also instrumental in having the 1944 Legislature set up a pension system for municipal bus drivers.

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ALLIGATOR TROUBLE HITS N. O. AGAIN

NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—(AP)—If the owner of a ten-pound alligator doesn't show up the police are going to take it to Audubon Zoo.

The saurian was found last night on a street in a residential section.

Police Sergeant Cliff LeBlanc said a woman who called the police told them the alligator was fighting with a police dog.

EASTER THRONG WILL WORSHIP

Music And Sermons To Proclaim Resurrection Theme

The formal observance of Easter will be held in the Memorial Park cemetery at the hour of sunrise, 5:45 a. m. today when the second annual event will be conducted under sponsorship of the Christian Youth Association. A musical program, a huge cross and the empty tomb, will add realism to exercises of most impressive nature. Special buses will run from downtown Monroe at 5:15 a. m. to convey those who have no other transportation facilities.

Knights Templar, as is their Easter custom, will assemble in a body in their formal uniforms for the annual observance, this time at the First Christian Church where Rev. R. T. Watson, pastor, will deliver the sermon. His theme will be "Easter Is the Answer."

All churches will stress in song and sermon the gladsome message of the Risen Lord from pulpits that will be laden with spring flowers, well attesting the message of the season.

There will be cantatas in a number of the churches. One of the most elaborate will be that at the First Methodist Church of Monroe Sunday at 7:30 p. m., which will depict "The Dawn of the Kingdom," with Mrs. Estelle Sanders, directing. Mrs. John Sholars will serve as organist, and Mrs. R. L. Prichard, pianist. Another downtown church that will present a cantata is the Stone Avenue Methodist where "The Prince of Peace" will be given.

The First Baptist Church in Monroe will forego giving a cantata, the series of revival services taking the

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AMERICAN NATIONS PREPARE FOR MAJOR POLICY ACTION

BOGOTA, Colombia, March 27.—(AP)—Old Bogota, excited as a girl getting ready for her first date, is applying final hurried efforts to look beautiful and gracious for the biggest event in her 400-year history.

The ninth international conference of American states, reason for all the fuss and bother, opens next Tuesday (March 30). Better known as the Pan-American Conference, it is the first full dress meeting of the Western Hemisphere republics since the Lima gathering in 1938.

Although it was originally scheduled to convene about two years ago, large scale preparations were slow in starting and some projects still are uncompleted.

The conference, expected to adopt measures of global importance, is considered the most important reunion since the Washington 1899 Inter-American Congress, forerunner of the formal meetings of American republics.

At Bogota, the 21 nations which make up the Pan-American Union hope to mold their system of coordination and cooperation into a new structure which fits the needs of modern politics.

In addition, the conference will of-

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Legislator Jailed In Slaying

State Rep. Furman Wilson (right), 46, veteran Oklahoma legislator, confers in the McClain county jail at Purcell, Okla., with his attorney, Hardin Ballard, after a sensational shooting in Wilson's law office. Jake Miller, used car dealer from nearby Blanchard, was killed by a shotgun blast which Ballard described as accidental. Wilson was representing Miller's wife in a divorce action. Mrs. Miller, a witness to the shooting, charged it was "cold blooded murder."—(AP Wirephoto).

Traditional Easter Services Over U.S.

Story Of Christ And The Resurrection Will Be Retold In Pageantry And Prayer Throughout Nation

(By Associated Press)

The story of Christ and the Resurrection will be solemnized by millions of Americans today when dawn brings the traditional sunrise Easter services across the nation.

From valleys to mountain tops, in churches and stadiums, the story of the risen Christ will be retold in pageantry and prayer.

The service expected to attract the largest group of worshippers—100,000—will be held at Wichita mountain near Lawton, Okla.

At Hot Springs, Ark., white robed choristers will march over a winding trail to the summit of Hot Springs mountain, where a huge cross has been erected.

Ceremonies will be held in the amphitheater at the National Cemetery at Arlington, Va., and a cross of white lillies will be placed on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

The songs of Christiandom will echo through the Grand Canyon for

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Jes' Ramblin'

Members of varying denominations are urged to participate in the impressive Easter Sunrise service in Memorial Park cemetery at 5:45 o'clock this morning. A similar service was held a year ago, and it was decided to make it an annual affair sponsored by the Christian Youth association. The primemover in arousing interest in this service is Rev. George Pearce, energetic young pastor of the Memorial Methodist church, located near the college. The service will be largely musical and directed by E. M. Wooten, music director of the First Christian church. Those who desire to attend this exercise can go and come on special city of Monroe buses that will leave Liggett's corner at 5:15 a. m. and proceed directly to the cemetery, returning at the close of the exercises.

While all churches in the Twin Cities will unite in rejoicing over the commemoration of the Risen Lord, one church out in the suburbs will be the scene of unusual happiness, as it will throw open the doors of the new edifice for the first time. The Claiborne Methodist church, west of Monroe on Highway 80, following months of self sacrifice and devotion to the cause, has been enabled to erect and nearly pay for in full a $38,000 brick edifice, which places it in the forefront of the ranks of well-equipped suburban churches. The pastor, Rev. F. L. Hearne, and his loyal flock are to be congratulated that success has crowned their efforts.

Another church also will mark Easter with the taking of forward

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FERRIDAY TORNADO KILLS NEGRO BOY

FERRIDAY, La., March 27.—(AP)—A 12-year-old Negro boy was killed and eight others were injured last night by a tornado that struck a farming settlement on Lake St. John seven miles north of Ferriday.

E. W. Vogt, chairman of the Concordia parish Red Cross, said the storm made about a score of other Negroes temporarily homeless and that all had been cared for and housed by the Red Cross.

The dead youth was Ebenezer Redvine. He was killed in the destruction of one of four homes on the S. L. Maxwell plantation.

In addition to the four homes destroyed, the storm blew down huge trees, temporarily blocking highways, and slightly damaged several other homes.

The injured persons were placed in the hospital at Ferriday. Only one was seriously injured, suffering from a broken back.

The re-cycling plant on Lake St. John and the oil wells nearby escaped damage.

The tornado ripped in from the southwest about 11 o'clock.

MILITARY HEADS AGREE ON SPLIT OF WAR TARGETS

Forrestal Forwards Written Agreements Between Four Branches

PLAN WILL CONFINE NAVY TO JOB OF POLICING SEA

WASHINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—The top military commanders agreed today on a formula to settle the historic argument between the air force and navy over who should bomb what targets in a war.

The allocation of bombing jobs was part of a detailed assignment of various functions of those two services, plus the army and the marines. Put into writing as a result of the recent conferences of the joint chiefs of staff at Key West, Fla., the agreements were forwarded by Secretary of Defense Forrestal today to President Truman.

During the war, bickering among the then members of the joint chiefs of staff included a quarrel over whether navy planes should be allowed to engage in bombing of war plants and other strategic targets in cities instead of sticking to strikes only at purely naval targets such as ships and docks. The argument outlived the war and continued until the joint chiefs agreements announced today. That part of it relating to bombing operations provides this:

Strategic bombing will be the primary function of the air force, but the naval air force may engage in it if, during a campaign, it finds it has surplus planes. However the primary function of naval aviation is to support a naval campaign. A naval campaign is defined by the agreement as one intended to gain or "maintain control of the sea." This appeared to draw a semblance of demarkation for the two services at the shoreline.

The document also listed several other points over which the joint chiefs group had quarreled since it was formed in early 1942.

It assigned primary responsibility

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GIVES INJUNCTION AGAINST PRINTERS

Federal Ruling Forbids I. T. U To Foster Strikes In Violation Of Taft Law

INDIANAPOLIS, March 27.—(AP)—A Federal judge issued an injunction which the government asked in an effort to end strikes of printers.

The temporary injunction, granted by Judge Luther M. Swygert, forbids the AFL International Typographical Union from fostering strikes which violate the Taft-Hartley law.

The judge, in granting all points asked by the general counsel of the National Labor Relations Board, ruled that the ITU "no contract" policy "has been a contributing, if not the sole factor" causing strikes and slowdowns in newspaper plants.

The result has been to deprive "the public of complete and current news," the decision said.

The injunction will remain in effect until the NLBR rules on charges before it that the ITU has violated the Taft-Hartley law in Chicago, where printers have been on strike since last November.

Whether the injunction will halt strikes without further legal action was not certain.

Robert N. Denham, NLBR general counsel, said in Washington, "I am very hopeful that with this injunction we'll be able to get the ITU situation cleaned up."

Asked if he thought the order would end the Chicago strike, Denham said, "the only thing I can say is that we'll wait and see. I hope it will have that effect."

Government attorneys have said that it may be necessary to get court orders against ITU locals on strike if

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GRAVEDIGGER HELD IN MISS. SLAYING

New Mexico Veteran Admits Beating Woman To Death In July, 1946

CLOVIS, N. M., March 27.—(AP)—A 25-year-old grave digger today was arrested on a charge of murder in the slaying of a Crystal Springs, Miss., girl July 4, 1946.

James Shelton, chief of the investigation bureau of the Mississippi highway safety patrol, said Edward Sant had signed a statement that he killed Catherine Rossie, 22, after she resisted his advances.

Shelton, A. E. Crawford, Jackson, Miss., private detective, and Chief Nelson Worley of Clovis told this story:

The Rossie girl disappeared after an auto wreck on a highway near Jackson on July 4, 1946. Her body was discovered 19 days later.

Last August they developed a lead

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BARN FIRE CAUSES LOSS OF $10,000

A barn located approximately five miles from the Monroe city limits on the Milhaven road and belonging to William Norris, Sr., was demolished by fire early Saturday morning, inflicting an estimated loss of $10,000, which included the destruction of ten mules and a saddle horse.

Other losses included five-hundred bushels of corn, 20 tons of hay, five-hundred bushels of oats, and harness equipment.

The barn, approximately 80 feet long and 50 feet wide, had been recently repaired and was covered by a $1,000 insurance policy, Norris said.

Norris, a well known syrup manufacturer and a resident of Ouachita parish since 1919, said he discovered the blaze about 4 a. m. Saturday, but the fire was entirely out of control. The cause of the fire was not known.

Monroe firemen of companies 5 and 11 answered the call at 4:47 a. m., but was unable to extinguish the flames before they had leveled the building.

Twisters Hit Eight States

8-Day Toll Of March Winds Grows To 78; Latest Ripper Leaves Over 100 Injured, Millions In Damage

CHICAGO, March 27.—(AP)—Pre-Easter tornadoes and gales that ripped into eight states added 23 more fatalities today to March's vicious weather rampage. The new deaths brought the nation's eight-day storm death toll to 78.

The latest rash of twisters—which struck last night in the south and midwest—also injured more than 100 persons and caused property damage of several million dollars.

A March mixture of snow, hail, heavy rains and strong winds trailed the twisters in the midwest. Destructive winds and hail storms hit parts of Alabama and Tennessee.

A stiff, northeast wind off Lake Huron pushed ashore a massive six foot wall of ice at Saginaw Bay, Mich. The ice mass, which started a glacier-like advance, damaged four cottages and threatened 100 others. However, a shift in the wind from northeast to north reduced the danger, at least temporarily.

In Chicago, the wind pushed waves over the Lake Michigan breakwater and flooded the outer drive from 23rd

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Senator Thye (R-Minn) told a reporter he thinks the New York governor's move into Wisconsin "is a sign that he recognizes the growing strength of Harold E. Stassen."

Thye is backing Stassen, former Minnesota governor, against Dewey and Gen. Douglas MacArthur in the April 6 Wisconsin primary. Twenty seven Republican delegates are the stake.

Senator Taft (R-Ohio), who is entered with Dewey, Stassen, MacArthur and others in an April 13 popularity primary in Nebraska, declined comment on the New Yorker's decision to speak in that midwestern state April 8 and 9.

But Taft supporters here said they think Dewey is getting worried about the campaign being made there for Taft by a state organization headed by Senator Butler (R-Neb.)

Mrs. Roosevelt's statement in New York set at rest speculation here that she might join her sons in indirect opposition to Mr. Truman. Previously J. Howard McGrath, Democratic National chairman, had said Mrs. Roosevelt promised to do what she could to back Mr. Truman.

The late president's widow said as she embarked on a trip to London that she does not expect to take part in "partisan politics" while she is an official of the United Nations.

Asked for comment on the action of Franklin and Elliott in urging Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower to make himself

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One report from a business man said 1,500 troops were moved into Vertenegliо, a town near the frontier between the Yugoslav and British-American zones. Buildings and homes were requisitioned for billets, the man said.

There was no immediate comment from British-American military officials.

The reports that 2,000 or more troops moved into the zone came from pro-Italian and anti-Communist refugees from the Yugoslav zone. None were from competent military observers who might be able to report unit identifications. It was not clear therefore whether the 1,500 at Vertenegliо were in addition to the 2,000 reported by other sources. Neither was it clear whether the troops were replacements.

Maj. Gen. Terence S. Airey, British senior civil affairs officer, denied earlier today published reports that additional British troops had arrived in the free territory. British military police were moved up to border positions earlier in the week, but Airey emphasized these were from troops already in the zone.

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PLANES USED IN PALESTINE WAR

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One Jewish source said 25 Jews

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Chairman Eaton, Republican, New Jersey, of the foreign affairs committee said:

"My own view is that there won't be more than 80, and I doubt if there will be that many against the bill. There has been a very great change in the attitude toward this bill.

The top committee Democrat, Rep. Bloom, Democrat, New York, agreed there "won't be 80 votes against the bill."

The House has 432 members and three vacancies. But ordinarily fewer than 400 show up for roll call votes.

An amendment bombardment against the bill will start on the House floor Monday. Rep. Vorys, Republican, Ohio, managing the measure, says he thinks it will be over by Tuesday.

So the vote on passage could come

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EASTER THRONG WILL WORSHIP

Music And Sermons To Proclaim Resurrection Theme

The formal observance of Easter will be held in the Memorial Park cemetery at the hour of sunrise, 5:45 a. m. today when the second annual event will be conducted under sponsorship of the Christian Youth Association. A musical program, a huge cross and the empty tomb, will add realism to exercises of most impressive nature. Special buses will run from downtown Monroe at 5:15 a. m. to convey those who have no other transportation facilities.

Knights Templar, as is their Easter custom, will assemble in a body in their formal uniforms for the annual observance, this time at the First Christian Church where Rev. R. T. Watson, pastor, will deliver the sermon. His theme will be "Easter Is the Answer."

All churches will stress in song and sermon the gladsome message of the Risen Lord from pulpits that will be laden with spring flowers, well attesting the message of the season.

There will be cantatas in a number of the churches. One of the most elaborate will be that at the First Methodist Church of Monroe Sunday at 7:30 p. m., which will depict "The Dawn of the Kingdom," with Mrs. Estelle Sanders, directing. Mrs. John Sholars will serve as organist, and Mrs. R. L. Prichard, pianist. Another downtown church that will present a cantata is the Stone Avenue Methodist where "The Prince of Peace" will be given.

The First Baptist Church in Monroe will forego giving a cantata, the series of revival services taking the

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RODRIGUEZ SEEKS 3RD REELECTION

Commissioner Of Finance And Utilities Makes Public Candidacy

W. D. H. Rodriguez, commissioner of finance and utilities, yesterday announced his candidacy for reelection. Mr. Rodriguez has held the post continuously since he was first elected to it in 1936.

In making his announcement, Mr. Rodriguez promised "unceasing efforts to keep the expansion of public utilities in step with the growth of the city."

Mr. Rodriguez pointed to a number of accomplishments during his 12-year term in office. Among these were replacement of the city street car system with buses; doubled capacity of the municipal power plant and distribution system; installation of 12 miles of water mains affording fire protection to a number of areas previously without it, and more recently, completion of the DeSiard Street White Way.

In 1940, Mr. Rodriguez sponsored, and had enacted by the state legislature, a measure making possible expansion of public utilities on a revenue basis, a step which eliminated mortgages or additional taxation.

Several years later, the commissioner brought out about passage of legislation which for the first time in Louisiana allowed a municipality to finance installation of sanitary sewer lines on an area assessment basis, rather than by general taxation.

Mr. Rodriguez was also instrumental in having the 1944 Legislature set up a pension system for municipal bus drivers.

A native of Franklin, Tenn., the 52-year-old commissioner came to Monroe in 1919 after returning from France where he served for 14 months in the field artillery. Entering service as a private, he rose subsequently to corporal, line sergeant, first sergeant,

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ALLIGATOR TROUBLE HITS N. O. AGAIN

NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—(AP)—If the owner of a ten-pound alligator doesn't show up the police are going to take it to Audubon Zoo.

The saurian was found last night on a street in a residential section.

Police Sergeant Cliff LeBlanc said a woman who called the police told them the alligator was fighting with a police dog.

AMERICAN NATIONS PREPARE FOR MAJOR POLICY ACTION

BOGOTA, Colombia, March 27.—(AP)—Old Bogota, excited as a girl getting ready for her first date, is applying final hurried efforts to look beautiful and gracious for the biggest event in her 400-year history.

The ninth international conference of American states, reason for all the fuss and bother, opens next Tuesday (March 30). Better known as the Pan-American Conference, it is the first full dress meeting of the Western Hemisphere republics since the Lima gathering in 1938.

Although it was originally scheduled to convene about two years ago, large scale preparations were slow in starting and some projects still are uncompleted.

The conference, expected to adopt measures of global importance, is considered the most important reunion since the Washington 1899 Inter-American Congress, forerunner of the formal meetings of American republics.

At Bogota, the 21 nations which make up the Pan-American Union hope to mold their system of coordination and cooperation into a new structure which fits the needs of modern politics.

In addition, the conference will of-

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Legislator Jailed In Slaying

State Rep. Furman Wilson (right), 46, veteran Oklahoma legislator, confers in the McClain county jail at Purcell, Okla., with his attorney, Hardin Ballard, after a sensational shooting in Wilson's law office. Jake Miller, used car dealer from nearby Blanchard, was killed by a shotgun blast which Ballard described as accidental. Wilson was representing Miller's wife in a divorce action. Mrs. Miller, a witness to the shooting, charged it was "cold blooded murder."—(AP Wirephoto).

Traditional Easter Services Over U.S.

Story Of Christ And The Resurrection Will Be Retold In Pageantry And Prayer Throughout Nation

(By Associated Press)

The story of Christ and the Resurrection will be solemnized by millions of Americans today when dawn brings the traditional sunrise Easter services across the nation.

From valleys to mountain tops, in churches and stadiums, the story of the risen Christ will be retold in pageantry and prayer.

The service expected to attract the largest group of worshippers—100,000—will be held at Wichita mountain near Lawton, Okla.

At Hot Springs, Ark., white robed choristers will march over a winding trail to the summit of Hot Springs mountain, where a huge cross has been erected.

Ceremonies will be held in the amphitheater at the National Cemetery at Arlington, Va., and a cross of white lillies will be placed on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

The songs of Christiandom will echo through the Grand Canyon for

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Jes' Ramblin'

Members of varying denominations are urged to participate in the impressive Easter Sunrise service in Memorial Park cemetery at 5:45 o'clock this morning. A similar service was held a year ago, and it was decided to make it an annual affair sponsored by the Christian Youth association. The primemover in arousing interest in this service is Rev. George Pearce, energetic young pastor of the Memorial Methodist church, located near the college. The service will be largely musical and directed by E. M. Wooten, music director of the First Christian church. Those who desire to attend this exercise can go and come on special city of Monroe buses that will leave Liggett's corner at 5:15 a. m. and proceed directly to the cemetery, returning at the close of the exercises.

While all churches in the Twin Cities will unite in rejoicing over the commemoration of the Risen Lord, one church out in the suburbs will be the scene of unusual happiness, as it will throw open the doors of the new edifice for the first time. The Claiborne Methodist church, west of Monroe on Highway 80, following months of self sacrifice and devotion to the cause, has been enabled to erect and nearly pay for in full a $38,000 brick edifice, which places it in the forefront of the ranks of well-equipped suburban churches. The pastor, Rev. F. L. Hearne, and his loyal flock are to be congratulated that success has crowned their efforts.

Another church also will mark Easter with the taking of forward

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FERRIDAY TORNADO KILLS NEGRO BOY

FERRIDAY, La., March 27.—(AP)—A 12-year-old Negro boy was killed and eight others were injured last night by a tornado that struck a farming settlement on Lake St. John seven miles north of Ferriday.

E. W. Vogt, chairman of the Concordia parish Red Cross, said the storm made about a score of other Negroes temporarily homeless and that all had been cared for and housed by the Red Cross.

The dead youth was Ebenezer Redvine. He was killed in the destruction of one of four homes on the S. L. Maxwell plantation.

In addition to the four homes destroyed, the storm blew down huge trees, temporarily blocking highways, and slightly damaged several other homes.

The injured persons were placed in the hospital at Ferriday. Only one was seriously injured, suffering from a broken back.

The re-cycling plant on Lake St. John and the oil wells nearby escaped damage.

The tornado ripped in from the southwest about 11 o'clock.

MILITARY HEADS AGREE ON SPLIT OF WAR TARGETS

Forrestal Forwards Written Agreements Between Four Branches

PLAN WILL CONFINE NAVY TO JOB OF POLICING SEA

WASHINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—The top military commanders agreed today on a formula to settle the historic argument between the air force and navy over who should bomb what targets in a war.

The allocation of bombing jobs was part of a detailed assignment of various functions of those two services, plus the army and the marines. Put into writing as a result of the recent conferences of the joint chiefs of staff at Key West, Fla., the agreements were forwarded by Secretary of Defense Forrestal today to President Truman.

During the war, bickering among the then members of the joint chiefs of staff included a quarrel over whether navy planes should be allowed to engage in bombing of war plants and other strategic targets in cities instead of sticking to strikes only at purely naval targets such as ships and docks. The argument outlived the war and continued until the joint chiefs agreements announced today. That part of it relating to bombing operations provides this:

Strategic bombing will be the primary function of the air force, but the naval air force may engage in it if, during a campaign, it finds it has surplus planes. However the primary function of naval aviation is to support a naval campaign. A naval campaign is defined by the agreement as one intended to gain or "maintain control of the sea." This appeared to draw a semblance of demarkation for the two services at the shoreline.

The document also listed several other points over which the joint chiefs group had quarreled since it was formed in early 1942.

It assigned primary responsibility

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GIVES INJUNCTION AGAINST PRINTERS

Federal Ruling Forbids I. T. U To Foster Strikes In Violation Of Taft Law

INDIANAPOLIS, March 27.—(AP)—A Federal judge issued an injunction which the government asked in an effort to end strikes of printers.

The temporary injunction, granted by Judge Luther M. Swygert, forbids the AFL International Typographical Union from fostering strikes which violate the Taft-Hartley law.

The judge, in granting all points asked by the general counsel of the National Labor Relations Board, ruled that the ITU "no contract" policy "has been a contributing, if not the sole factor" causing strikes and slowdowns in newspaper plants.

The result has been to deprive "the public of complete and current news," the decision said.

The injunction will remain in effect until the NLBR rules on charges before it that the ITU has violated the Taft-Hartley law in Chicago, where printers have been on strike since last November.

Whether the injunction will halt strikes without further legal action was not certain.

Robert N. Denham, NLBR general counsel, said in Washington, "I am very hopeful that with this injunction we'll be able to get the ITU situation cleaned up."

Asked if he thought the order would end the Chicago strike, Denham said, "the only thing I can say is that we'll wait and see. I hope it will have that effect."

Government attorneys have said that it may be necessary to get court orders against ITU locals on strike if

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GRAVEDIGGER HELD IN MISS. SLAYING

New Mexico Veteran Admits Beating Woman To Death In July, 1946

CLOVIS, N. M., March 27.—(AP)—A 25-year-old grave digger today was arrested on a charge of murder in the slaying of a Crystal Springs, Miss., girl July 4, 1946.

James Shelton, chief of the investigation bureau of the Mississippi highway safety patrol, said Edward Sant had signed a statement that he killed Catherine Rossie, 22, after she resisted his advances.

Shelton, A. E. Crawford, Jackson, Miss., private detective, and Chief Nelson Worley of Clovis told this story:

The Rossie girl disappeared after an auto wreck on a highway near Jackson on July 4, 1946. Her body was discovered 19 days later.

Last August they developed a lead

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BARN FIRE CAUSES LOSS OF $10,000

A barn located approximately five miles from the Monroe city limits on the Milhaven road and belonging to William Norris, Sr., was demolished by fire early Saturday morning, inflicting an estimated loss of $10,000, which included the destruction of ten mules and a saddle horse.

Other losses included five-hundred bushels of corn, 20 tons of hay, five-hundred bushels of oats, and harness equipment.

The barn, approximately 80 feet long and 50 feet wide, had been recently repaired and was covered by a $1,000 insurance policy, Norris said.

Norris, a well known syrup manufacturer and a resident of Ouachita parish since 1919, said he discovered the blaze about 4 a. m. Saturday, but the fire was entirely out of control. The cause of the fire was not known.

Monroe firemen of companies 5 and 11 answered the call at 4:47 a. m., but was unable to extinguish the flames before they had leveled the building.

Twisters Hit Eight States

8-Day Toll Of March Winds Grows To 78; Latest Ripper Leaves Over 100 Injured, Millions In Damage

CHICAGO, March 27.—(AP)—Pre-Easter tornadoes and gales that ripped into eight states added 23 more fatalities today to March's vicious weather rampage. The new deaths brought the nation's eight-day storm death toll to 78.

The latest rash of twisters—which struck last night in the south and midwest—also injured more than 100 persons and caused property damage of several million dollars.

A March mixture of snow, hail, heavy rains and strong winds trailed the twisters in the midwest. Destructive winds and hail storms hit parts of Alabama and Tennessee.

A stiff, northeast wind off Lake Huron pushed ashore a massive six foot wall of ice at Saginaw Bay, Mich. The ice mass, which started a glacier-like advance, damaged four cottages and threatened 100 others. However, a shift in the wind from northeast to north reduced the danger, at least temporarily.

In Chicago, the wind pushed waves over the Lake Michigan breakwater and flooded the outer drive from 23rd

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DEWEY'S DECISION CALLED WEAKNESS

Mrs. Roosevelt Fails To Join Sons In Walkout On President Truman

WASHINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey's decision to campaign in Wisconsin and Nebraska was tabbed today as a sign of weakness by his opponents for the GOP presidential nomination.

On the Democratic side of the fence, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt declined to join two of her sons, Franklin D., Jr., and Elliott, in a walkout on President Truman.

Senator Thye (R-Minn) told a reporter he thinks the New York governor's move into Wisconsin "is a sign that he recognizes the growing strength of Harold E. Stassen."

Thye is backing Stassen, former Minnesota governor, against Dewey and Gen. Douglas MacArthur in the April 6 Wisconsin primary. Twenty seven Republican delegates are the stake.

Senator Taft (R-Ohio), who is entered with Dewey, Stassen, MacArthur and others in an April 13 popularity primary in Nebraska, declined comment on the New Yorker's decision to speak in that midwestern state April 8 and 9.

But Taft supporters here said they think Dewey is getting worried about the campaign being made there for Taft by a state organization headed by Senator Butler (R-Neb.)

Mrs. Roosevelt's statement in New York set at rest speculation here that she might join her sons in indirect opposition to Mr. Truman. Previously J. Howard McGrath, Democratic National chairman, had said Mrs. Roosevelt promised to do what she could to back Mr. Truman.

The late president's widow said as she embarked on a trip to London that she does not expect to take part in "partisan politics" while she is an official of the United Nations.

Asked for comment on the action of Franklin and Elliott in urging Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower to make himself

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BILLY ROSE BACK

"Pitching Horseshoes" column resumes in the Morning World today.

Don't miss Billy's humorous, satirical columns . . . every Sunday, Wednesday and Friday.

YUGOSLAVS MOVE REINFORCEMENTS UP NEAR BORDER

Refugees Report Transfer Of Fresh Troops To Area Around Trieste

WESTERN POWERS EXPECT USSR TO REFUSE RETURN

TRIESTE, March 27.—(AP)—Refugees from the Yugoslav zone of the free territory of Trieste reported tonight the Yugoslavs had moved 2,000 or more fresh troops into their zone.

One report from a business man said 1,500 troops were moved into Vertenoglio, a town near the frontier between the Yugoslav and British-American zones. Buildings and homes were requisitioned for billets, the man said.

There was no immediate comment from British-American military officials.

The reports that 2,000 or more troops moved into the zone came from pro-Italian and anti-Communist refugees from the Yugoslav zone. None were from competent military observers who might be able to report unit identifications. It was not clear therefore whether the 1,500 at Vertenoglio were in addition to the 2,000 reported by other sources. Neither was it clear whether the troops were replacements.

Maj. Gen. Terence S. Airey, British senior civil affairs officer, denied earlier today published reports that additional British troops had arrived in the free territory. British military police were moved up to border positions earlier in the week, but Airey emphasized these were from troops already in the zone.

Under the terms of the Italian peace

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PLANES USED IN PALESTINE WAR

Four Jewish Craft Blast Arab Concentrations South Of Bethlehem

JERUSALEM, March 27.—(AP)—Four Jewish planes bombed Arab concentrations south of Bethlehem in a pre-Easter battle but failed to free a 30-vehicle convoy caught in a maze of Arab blockades, it was officially announced tonight.

A government press release said the convoy was abandoned and 60 Jewish survivors took refuge in an empty house a mile south of Bethlehem, the birthplace of Christ. A Jewish informant claimed however that half the convoy fought its way through to Jerusalem.

The battle marked the first occasion when aircraft bombs were officially reported used in Palestine's bitter Jewish-Arab strife. However, there have been previous instances of Jewish reconnaissance flights.

According to the official account the Jews abandoned the convoy after the Arabs had raked the surrounded vehicles with bullets.

One Jewish source said 25 Jews

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5 KILLED IN PLANE WRECKED BY BIRD

BARDSTOWN, Ky., March 27.—(AP)—A plane crash believed caused by a buzzard took the lives of five passengers near here today.

The privately owned plane, eyewitnesses said, apparently struck a buzzard, breaking one of the propellor blades. The Civil Aeronautics Administration at Louisville said if the plane flew into a buzzard, it would be possible for the craft to vibrate apart before the pilot could stop the engine.

The victims, all of Nashville, Tenn., were identified by Nelson County Sheriff Tom Shields as Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martin West, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Venderley and a small child. Mr. and Mrs. West were believed to be parents of the child.

LA. DELTA COUNCIL PLANNING FORMAL MIDWEEK LAUNCHING

The Louisiana Delta Council, a concerted project for the area's economic and human advancement, will be formally launched this Wednesday at a membership meeting at the Monroe Chamber of Commerce.

A voluntary undertaking, the Council will seek to unite northeast Louisiana parishes in a joint program of agricultural, industrial, and educational progress.

The Council is patterned after its Mississippi counterpart, which in its few years of existence has already won nation-wide recognition for achievements in raising the levels of farmers and merchants in the section it embraces.

In explaining the objectives of the Louisiana organization, T. H. Scott, president, said:

"The primary purpose of the Louisiana Delta Council is to bring together in a united body all the people, or as many as possible, who live in the 11 parishes comprising northeast Louisiana in order to present a solid front in striving for the betterment of our area, our parishes, our communities, and ourselves as individuals."

Although a considerable emphasis will be placed upon agricultural im-

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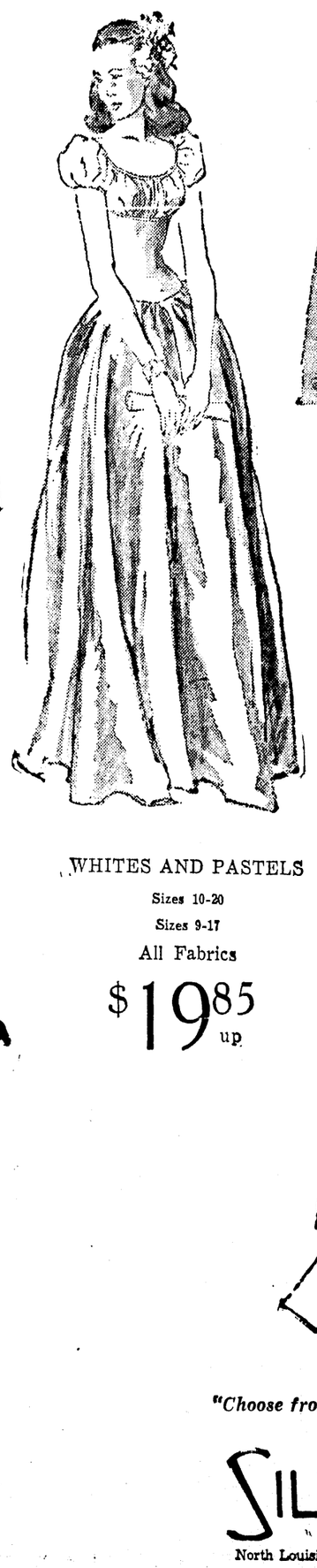

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WAR ON CANCER BEING WAGED

Fred Fudickar To Lead Campaign For Ouachita Parish Unit

The April campaign for funds for the Ouachita parish unit of the American Cancer Society will be directed by Fred Fudickar, attorney of Monroe, associated with the law firm of Hudson-Potts-Bernstein and Davenport.

Mr. Fudickar was selected as campaign chairman by the parish committee and he immediately named heads of committees responsible for the success of the drive. "Never before has the success of a drive meant so much," Mr. Fudickar declared in accepting the chairmanship. "Year after year cancer has claimed more and more citizens of Monroe and Ouachita parish."

"We can end this dreadful waste of life. We can do it by making funds available for research, service to cancer sufferers and public education. That is what the American Cancer Society does with the dimes and dollars it collects each year."

The campaign chairman immediately called for volunteers to make the drive a success.

"No better cause could command one's time," he asserted. "I want to hear from all who are interested in working to save lives. We have a place in the campaign for everyone who will volunteer."

"We are going to combine canvassing and education this year," he said. "There are a few simple facts about cancer which, if known, will save many lives.

With enough volunteer workers, we hope to be able to reach every person in Ouachita parish. Everyone should be concerned. For almost every two homes, there is one cancer death. We have no way of knowing in advance whether it will touch our home or our neighbor's. "But we do know one thing. When research scientists find the cause and cure of cancer—one that will wipe out the disease in all it's stages—all of us will breathe better."

"Many cancers can be cured if detected early enough. The cure rate for some kinds of cancer is rising in areas where vigorous education campaigns have been carried on. But we have a long way to go to halt the relentless rise in cancer mortalities—to say nothing of eradicating the disease altogether."

Campaign headquarters will open at 1000 Ouachita Bank Building, April 1. Workers are urged to volunteer at the earliest possible moment by calling Mr. Fudickar, chairman, or Mrs. Aycock, campaign secretary, phone 8063.

Pittsburgh has more bridges than any other U. S. city. There are about 50.

NOW AT HELM

Garvey (Gus) Wedgeworth, with many years' experience in the field of automobile lubrication, is now in complete charge of the lubrication department of Boyce-Nash Motors, at the corner of Hall and Harrison streets. He is well known here and understands the lubrication system in all makes of cars.

EYE BANK FORMED TO AID SIGHTLESS

The Eye-Bank for Sight Restoration, Inc., promises badly needed aid for the sightless, made possible by persons willing to donate their eyes after their death.

Churches and other groups have approved this plan and in Monroe the First Methodist Church has given public endorsement in its church bulletin and from the pulpit.

On a recent Sunday, donor slips were distributed at the exits for those who desired to aid in this manner. Others who may desire to aid can do so by contacting Mrs. J. B. McMullen, at the First Methodist Church office, phone 1716.

Out of 250,000 blind persons in this country, doctors estimate that sight could be restored to 10 or 15 thousand through a surgical operation in which an eye from a person who has recently died can be substituted.

MEN IN SERVICE

Pfc. F. J. Frickie, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frickie of West Monroe left school to enlist in February 1947. After his preliminary training he was flown to Pearl Harbor in October 1947, where he is now stationed. He came home for a furlough last September. His parents have frequent letters from him in which he expresses that he is well pleased with his present assignment.

First stamp duties were imposed by Holland in 1624.

WOMAN IN TRANCE ON GOOD FRIDAY

As It Has Each Year Since 1923, Blood Oozes From Palms

KONNERSREUTH, Germany, March 27.—(AP)—Therese Neumann, 52-year-old peasant, lay in an apparent trance in the bedroom of her home on Good Friday.

As it has every Good Friday since 1923, blood seemed to ooze from her palms, her eyes and her right shoulder.

The woman, clothed in white, lay rigid, her arms upraised. Her eyes were closed and sometimes her face was distorted, as if in pain.

A priest stood nearby. Against one wall of the room was an altar.

Some 2,000 Germans and Americans journeyed to this little town near the Czechoslovak border to witness the spectacle. Some thought they had seen a miracle. Others said they believed science could explain it.

The Catholic Church is non-committal.

A similar manifestation has been recorded in the story of the life of St. Francis of Assisi. Others since then have been subject to what has been called "The Blessed Stigmata."

Miss Neumann first attracted attention in 1923. At first the blood appeared every Friday. Last and this year it was reported only on Good Friday. Blood was visible to visitors within two yards of the woman.

Captain Charles B. Fabing, of Chicago, a Catholic chaplain, was among the visitors. He said the incident was extraordinary.

The subject of Therese Neumann has been a matter of controversy for a quarter century. Her case has been discussed by psychic research congresses and by scientists.

Just after the end of the war an American chaplain from New Orleans, Harold Dittmann, reported he learned the woman was ordered "removed" by the Nazis, but that when S. S. men saw her in a trance they flew in panic.

Dittman said he had witnessed the incident three times.

FIRE QUENCHED IN SHIP AT ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—(AP)—A fire tug and the city fire department quenched a blaze last night in a hold of the cargo and passenger vessel S. S. Contessa of the Standard Fruit and Steamship Company.

The line's port captain, William H. Johns, said cause of the blaze and extent of damage was not immediately determined.

The ship was scheduled to sail tomorrow with passengers and general cargo for Havana and Ceiba. The sailing was postponed indefinitely.

While the fire still smouldered in the cargo the S. S. Contessa was towed several miles downstream to Chalmette and beached.

The Palace

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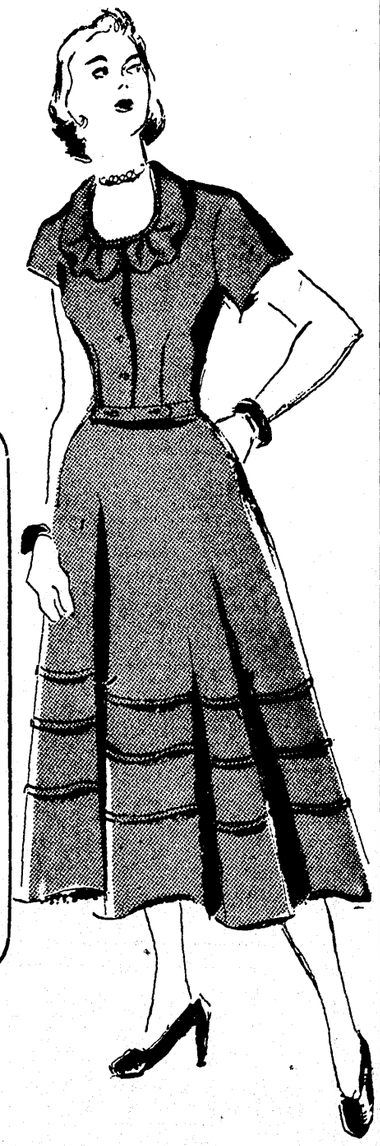

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WAR ON CANCER BEING WAGED

Fred Fudickar To Lead Campaign For Ouachita Parish Unit

The April campaign for funds for the Ouachita parish unit of the American Cancer Society will be directed by Fred Fudickar, attorney of Monroe, associated with the law firm of Hudson-Potts-Bernstein and Davenport.

Mr. Fudickar was selected as campaign chairman by the parish committee and he immediately named heads of committees responsible for the success of the drive. "Never before has the success of a drive meant so much," Mr. Fudickar declared in accepting the chairmanship. "Year after year cancer has claimed more and more citizens of Monroe and Ouachita parish."

"We can end this dreadful waste of life. We can do it by making funds available for research, service to cancer sufferers and public education. That is what the American Cancer Society does with the dimes and dollars it collects each year."

The campaign chairman immediately called for volunteers to make the drive a success.

"No better cause could command one's time," he asserted. "I want to hear from all who are interested in working to save lives. We have a place in the campaign for everyone who will volunteer."

"We are going to combine canvassing and education this year," he said. "There are a few simple facts about cancer which, if known, will save many lives.

With enough volunteer workers, we hope to be able to reach every person in Ouachita parish. Everyone should be concerned. For almost every two homes, there is one cancer death. We have no way of knowing in advance whether it will touch our home or our neighbor's. "But we do know one thing. When research scientists find the cause and cure of cancer—one that will wipe out the disease in all it's stages—all of us will breathe better."

"Many cancers can be cured if detected early enough. The cure rate for some kinds of cancer is rising in areas where vigorous education campaigns have been carried on. But we have a long way to go to halt the relentless rise in cancer mortalities—to say nothing of eradicating the disease altogether."

Campaign headquarters will open at 1000 Ouachita Bank Building, April 1. Workers are urged to volunteer at the earliest possible moment by calling Mr. Fudickar, chairman, or Mrs. Aycock, campaign secretary, phone 8063.

Pittsburgh has more bridges than any other U. S. city. There are about 50.

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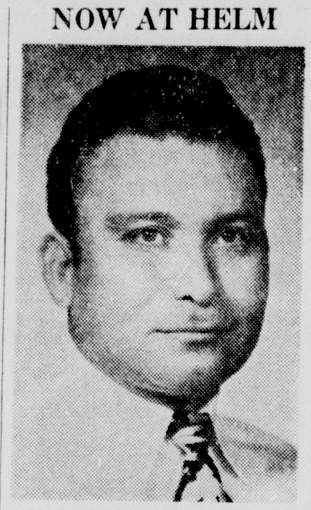

Garvey (Gus) Wedgeworth, with many years' experience in the field of automobile lubrication, is now in complete charge of the lubrication department of Boyce-Nash Motors, at the corner of Hall and Harrison streets. He is well known here and understands the lubrication system in all makes of cars.

EYE BANK FORMED TO AID SIGHTLESS

The Eye-Bank for Sight Restoration, Inc., promises badly needed aid for the sightless, made possible by persons willing to donate their eyes after their death.

Churches and other groups have approved this plan and in Monroe the First Methodist Church has given public endorsement in its church bulletin and from the pulpit.

On a recent Sunday, donor slips were distributed at the exits for those who desired to aid in this manner. Others who may desire to aid can do so by contacting Mrs. J. B. McMullen, at the First Methodist Church office, phone 1716.

Out of 250,000 blind persons in this country, doctors estimate that sight could be restored to 10 or 15 thousand through a surgical operation in which an eye from a person who has recently died can be substituted.

MEN IN SERVICE

Pfc. F. J. Frickie, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frickie of West Monroe left school to enlist in February 1947. After his preliminary training he was flown to Pearl Harbor in October 1947, where he is now stationed. He came home for a furlough last September. His parents have frequent letters from him in which he expresses that he is well pleased with his present assignment.

First stamp duties were imposed by Holland in 1624.

WOMAN IN TRANCE ON GOOD FRIDAY

As It Has Each Year Since 1923, Blood Oozes From Palms

KONNERSREUTH, Germany, March 27.—(AP)—Therese Neumann, 52-year-old peasant, lay in an apparent trance in the bedroom of her home on Good Friday.

As it has every Good Friday since 1923, blood seemed to ooze from her palms, her eyes and her right shoulder.

The woman, clothed in white, lay rigid, her arms upraised. Her eyes were closed and sometimes her face was distorted, as if in pain.

A priest stood nearby. Against one wall of the room was an altar.

Some 2,000 Germans and Americans journeyed to this little town near the Czechoslovak border to witness the spectacle. Some thought they had seen a miracle. Others said they believed science could explain it.

The Catholic Church is non-committal.

A similar manifestation has been recorded in the story of the life of St. Francis of Assisi. Others since then have been subject to what has been called "The Blessed Stigmata."

Miss Neumann first attracted attention in 1923. At first the blood appeared every Friday. Last and this year it was reported only on Good Friday. Blood was visible to visitors within two yards of the woman.

Captain Charles B. Fabing, of Chicago, a Catholic chaplain, was among the visitors. He said the incident was extraordinary.

The subject of Therese Neumann has been a matter of controversy for a quarter century. Her case has been discussed by psychic research congresses and by scientists.

Just after the end of the war an American chaplain from New Orleans, Harold Dittmann, reported he learned the woman was ordered "removed" by the Nazis, but that when S. S. men saw her in a trance they flew in panic.

Dittman said he had witnessed the incident three times.

FIRE QUENCHED IN SHIP AT ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—(AP)—A fire tug and the city fire department quenched a blaze last night in a hold of the cargo and passenger vessel S. S. Contessa of the Standard Fruit and Steamship Company.

The line's port captain, William H. Johns, said cause of the blaze and extent of damage was not immediately determined.

The ship was scheduled to sail tomorrow with passengers and general cargo for Havana and Ceiba. The sailing was postponed indefinitely.

While the fire still smouldered in the cargo the S. S. Contessa was towed several miles downstream to Chalmette and beached.

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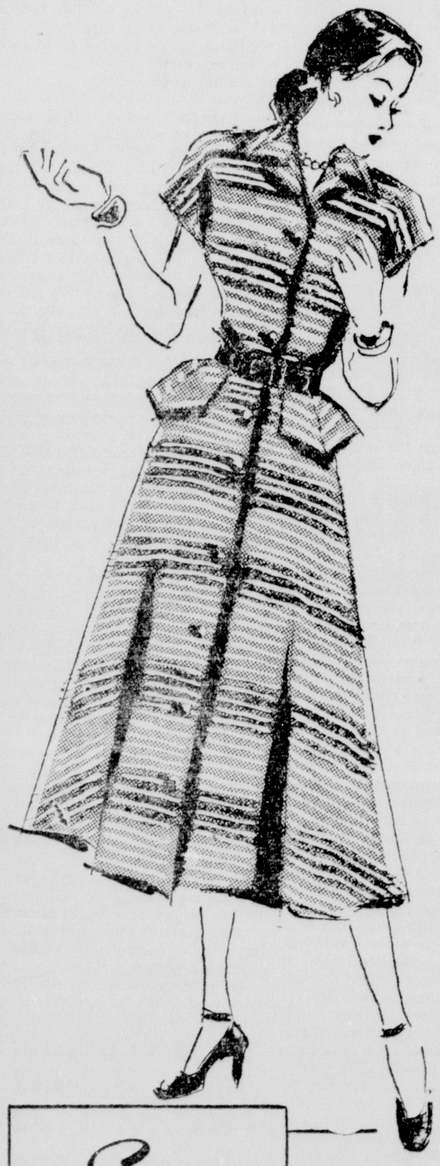

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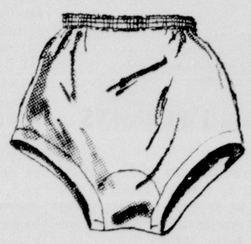

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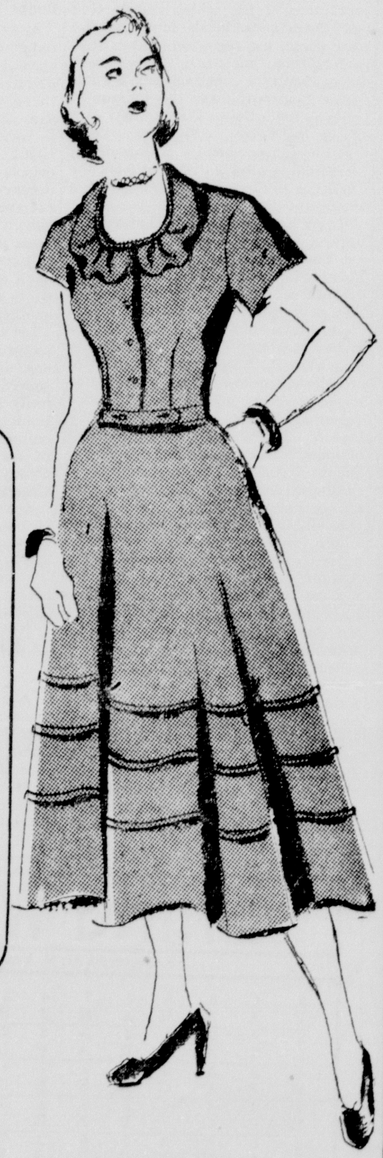

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Easter

Resurrection Sunday has meant for billions who trod the face of the earth the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. In it is the essence of hope that somehow the futilities and the frustrations of earthly existence will vanish in a brighter dawn.

Men of hard sense can argue away all that hope on the basis of their finite knowledge, but the plain fact remains that it has been implanted in the human breast from the very beginning—from the time of the formal creation if you will or from the time in evolution when the first crude man arose from the slime. We do not deny the truth of other extra-sensory attributes; why deny this?

Man should be turning now to a deeper concentration upon his spiritual side. Here in America we have amassed the wealth of Croesus and divided it better than it has yet been done elsewhere. All conceivable creature comforts are in our grasps. Yet we are not a particularly happy people. Happiness clearly is in the reach for something higher.

Man in his evolution has thoroughly worked the material side of the street and will not be a whole being until he has developed his character and fed his soul. It is easily demonstrable that the human animal, proceeding along his accustomed lines, will come to complete disaster. As the disciple of Jesus and the son of God he can approach the fullness of life and in no other way.

Two thousand years ago Christ demonstrated the triumph of virtue over crassness. That triumph is still an example for men to emulate. They have refused to do so to their continuing and mounting sorrow.

FOREIGN INVESTMENTS

American taxpayers would get a break, several of them, if private capital were moving abroad to grasp opportunities in the good old-fashioned way. But that isn't happening in nearly the degree it did after World War I.

The reason is that the American investor has learned he cannot trust foreign governments. There is some investment of American capital in the British dominions, but elsewhere prospects are too uncertain.

Latin America would like to have Americans come in and build all sorts of factories, but the catch is that Latin America frequently confiscates and repudiates. Mexico confiscated all American-owned oil wells ten years ago. The investor never knows when there will be a revolution down there that will change his prospects.

An American investor couldn't get through the iron curtain with a carload of TNT. Who wants to invest in France or Italy, where there is uncertainty from day to day as to what the next form of government will be like? China and the Orient formerly were great fields for American risk capital, but there is the retarding possibility now that communism may sweep over that area.

So American taxpayers are to supply most of the countries with capital, none of which will ever come back. It is too bad but that's the way it is and will be until governments the world over become trustworthy again.

POWER OF DECISION

General De Gaulle's proposal that the United States should arm the western European nations would be more impressive if those nations had something to arm. France, once credited with having the best army in Europe, has virtually nothing today. The same is true of other countries, Britain alone having a nucleus of military power.

Over a period of years, perhaps western Europe unitedly could build up enough strength to make Russia think twice about invading the west. But De Gaulle's talk about the need of American weapons without American troops is too reminiscent of the British boast before America got into World War II. "Give us the tools and we'll do the rest."

As a matter of fact America should take care this time to keep the power of decision in military matters. We could arm western Europe to the teeth but the minute Russia moved America would have to come to the rescue. If there must be war some time, America should be free to act in its own way.

It is becoming clearer that we made a mistake following the recent war in not taking full charge of the territory rescued and running it in our own way. We did that in Japan and Japan is causing us less trouble than any other country in which we are involved. We are arming Greece without the power to make the decisions, and the situation there for us is not at all comforting.

A RESTLESS PEOPLE

Trouble with us Americans is that we are in such a hurry to get somewhere that we often fail to look back and see how far we have come.

That is evident in the report of the department of labor which shows that the purchasing power of American factory workers has exactly doubled since 1913. Average weekly earnings 35 years ago were $11. Today they are $51. Inflation has reduced the purchasing power of the $51 to $22, in terms of 1913 values. Nevertheless it is twice as great.

Are we satisfied with our achievements? Not by a jugfull. We want more. We react enthusiastically to every suggestion for a larger intake to our pocketbooks, whether those suggestions are practical or not, and then likely as not become perturbed if those suggestions are not speedily adopted.

"During these 35 years," says the report, "wage earners have raised their standard of living, won a greater voice in the determination of their working conditions and established the right to bargain collectively."

Such achievements are the envy of other peoples but they are trampled thoughtlessly under the feet of Americans, the most restless folk on earth. Our thoughts are always concentrated on higher material ground and what does it get you to look back?

Jimmie Fidler
IN HOLLYWOOD

HOLLYWOOD, March 27.—After repeated examinations three doctors still don't know why Melvyn Douglas has lost his voice . . . With Gregory Peck unavailable because of previous commitments, it's Robert Taylor for the role of Monte Stratton, the crippled baseball star . . . Ode to fame: Old photos of the one-time "Bobo" Sears, dug up since her marriage to Winthrop Rockefeller, are selling for six-bits apiece in the boulevard magazine shops . . . Dorothy Lamour has decided to postpone that much-talked about operation, but she's taking time out for a rest cure at the Arrowhead Springs resort.

Don't be surprised if Paramount and Bing Crosby ink a "lifetime" contract this spring . . . The Mickey Rooneys have signed a property settlement; she'll file for divorce in April . . . Can Orson Welles's reported romance with an Italian countess have anything to do with his decision to work, indefinitely, in Italy? . . . If Carole Landis decides to sue for divorce from her estranged spouse, Producer Horace Schmidlapp, she'll have a battle on her hands; he's threatening a counter suit.

Doc Stork has canceled his date with the Richard Widmarks . . . Time out for Cathy Downs, nursing eye injuries received when a flash bulb exploded within inches of her face. . . . Blue pencil that columnist's report that Ann Sheridan and Steve Hannagan had rifted . . . Screen villain Tony Caruso and his missus have registered with a Chicago orphanage for an adopted son.

PREVIEW NIGHTS: Pic of the week: Paramount's "Hazard" (Paulette Goddard-MacDonald Carey-Fred Clark). Mile-a-minute comedy about a gal with gambling fever—and you can cash your tickets for plenty of laughs . . . GOOD: MGM's "The Search" (Montgomery Clift-Aline MacMahon-Jarmila Novotna). Documentary drama, filmed in the devastated areas in Germany . . . SO-SO: Eagle-Lion's "The October Man" (John Mills-Joan Greenwood). British-made murder mystery with several hair-lifting sequences . . . 20th Century-Fox's "Meet Me at Dawn" (William Eythe-Stanley Holloway-Beatrice Campbell). A made-in-England romance with lots of froth and little body . . . Columbia's "The Return of Whistler" (Michael Duane-Lenore Aubert-Richard Lane). Run-of-the-mill crime drama . . . BEST PERFORMANCE: Paulette Goddard in "Hazard."

One of the subjects most frequently discussed in Hollywood columns this week has been Loretta Young's sincere surprise when she was declared the winner of an Academy "Oscar." More significant, to my way of thinking, was the extreme surprise of her own studio bosses, who, for three months, had devoted all their efforts to a campaign in behalf of Rosalind Russell. As a matter of fact, they neglected Loretta's bid so completely that I don't remember seeing her name mentioned in any of their ads or publicity releases. In view of Miss Russell's remarkable performance in "Mourning Becomes Electra," no one can attack their critical judgment, but I think that Miss Young's triumph proves that they were guilty of overlooking one important factor. Her picture, "The Farmer's Daughter," was delightful entertainment; "Mourning Becomes Electra" was far too sombre to appeal to the average audience. Assuming that the performance of the two stars were equal in merit, it's hardly surprising that the Oscar should go to the one who played the more ENTERTAINING role.

Speaking of the Academy Awards, I'm inclined to think that the biggest winner of all was the trade press of Filmville. More than ever before, the studios with pictures and players in the running attempted to clinch victories through the power of advertising. Prior to the presentation of Awards, hundreds of full-page ads were purchased in the trade papers; on the Monday following the handing out of the statuettes, each of the leading trade papers carried 39 full pages of advertisements, bought either by the winners to express their gratitude, or by individuals or organizations to congratulate the winners. As far as the Hollywood publishers are concerned, those "Oscars" are really made of gold.

Still speaking of Academy Awards, it's surprising to note that the British made a clean sweep in the fields of art direction, set decoration and cinematography—surprising because it hasn't been many years since American movie producers were unanimous in scoffing at the inferiority of English films in those very departments. I'm sadly afraid that the Americans are paying the price for complacency. Instead of boasting so loudly about the achievements of our designers and cameramen, maybe we'd better spend some of our energies catching up with the parade of progress. We're being left far behind by foreign competition.

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BELIEVE IT OR NOT
By Ripley

EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON

THE PATHETIC EMPRESS—Elizabeth, widow of the Duke of Albemarle and one of the richest women in England, vowed that she would give her hand to none but a crowned hand. Ralph Duke of Montague, (1638-1709) thereupon disguised himself as the emperor of China, wooed her ardently and married her as Emperor Ralph of China. The marriage took place in 1692, the Duke died in 1709, but the poor "empress" survived for another 25 years, not dying until 1734 believing to the end of her life that she had married the Chinese Emperor. The man she married was only an English Duke, her marriage certificate, a hoax, the "Chinese" wedding guests, the servants who always served her on bended knees, were hired actors disguised to fool her.

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DOWN SOUTH

By Thurman Sensing
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COMPARISONS ARE FALLACIOUS

Comparisons are not only odious, as the poet has said, but they are also fallacious.

Let's consider this a moment as related to the South. One who accepts comparisons at face value would be quite disheartened by the ranking of the Southern states as portrayed by various agencies from time to time. He would undoubtedly reach the conclusion that the people of the South are the poorest, most ill-paid, most illiterate, most unhealthy, most backward in every way of all the people of the nation. He might well wonder why anybody would live in the South!

He would reach this conclusion because these agencies invariably rank the states of the South at the bottom of the list of the forty-eight states of the nation in making comparisons of these various factors as they affect the lives of the people.

That is why it may well be said that comparisons are fallacious. We, here in the South, know that these rankings must not be accepted at face value. We know that the figures themselves quite often do not present a true picture, and we know further that there are many factors affecting the life and welfare of a people that cannot be measured with statistical tables.

Let's consider per capita income, for instance. This is one of the favorite tabulations made by agencies in comparing the material welfare of the people of the nation. Fourteen of the sixteen Southern states are among the bottom sixteen states of the nation in this comparison. The position of the South in this respect is therefore deprecated, and even many of us in the South are misled by the comparison.

What is overlooked in a per capita income comparison is that the figures shown represent cash income only. The comparison, so far as the South is concerned, therefore, is entirely fallacious—because a great portion of the income of a major percentage of the Southern people is not cash income.

The South has a considerably larger than national average rural population. The last census showed that the rural population for the nation was 43% of the nation's total population, whereas the ruarl population of the South is 64% of the South's total population. Or, to put it another way, the South, with one-third the nation's population, has 51% of the nation's rural population

Anyone who gives the matter a second thought knows that people who live on the farm derive much of their substenance direct from the farm, and that the actual material welfare of a farmer's family and the family of a mechanic in an automobile plant cannot be compared by their respective cash incomes.

This is particularly true here in our own Southland, and is well illustrated by a survey made in Middle Tennessee by the Nashville Chamber of Commerce. A study was made of 6,675 families in that area, and it was found that 5,926 of these families, or 88% of the total, grew 75% or over of their own food supply in 1947. This may be a better record than the average community in the South, but even a considerably lower percentage would show the fallacy of comparing this welfare of a predominantly agricultural region with a predominantly industrial region on a per capita cash income basis.

The next time we are presented with a statistical tabulation ranking the Southern states at the bottom of the states of the nation, let's remember to ask for a grain of salt to go along with it.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Scripture: Ezekiel 1:1-3; 3:11, 17-21; 4:1-3

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.

A brief look into events in the history of Israel seems necessary to get the setting for this lesson and several that are to follow.

When King Solomon "in all his glory" died, the glory became quickly tarnished when it became evident how much of it had been built upon oppressive exactions from the people. The oppressed subjects appealed to Rehoboam, Solomon's son, to make their burdens lighter.

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The kingdom that was strengthened and consolidated under David and Solomon did not long survive this strife and division. In 722 B. C. the hosts of Assyria destroyed the Northern Kingdom, and 136 years later the Babylonians conquered the Southern Kingdom and carried off its leaders and most of the people into exile.

A vivid portrayal of the exile is presented in the 137th Psalm. But the suffering and bitterness there expressed apparently became considerably modified as the exiles were established in a colony and became so prosperous that many of them refused to return to Palestine when the opportunity came.

It is a tragedy of human life that the things of most worth are often not properly valued until they are lost. Prior to the exile there had been a moral and religious letdown in Israel.

But now, in a strange land, the things they had lost became vital. "How shall we sing the Lord's song in a strange land?"

It was under these circumstances that a great prophet, Ezekiel, arose in exile to revive all the glory of the Jewish religious tradition. Boldly and bravely he recounted the course of betrayal and idolatry in which they had renounced God's call and leadership. He called the people to repentance and faith that led to a glorious restoration.

BIBLE THOUGHTS

We give thanks to God always for you all, making mention of you in our prayers . . .—I Thessalonians 1:2.

Prayer is a powerful thing; for God has bound and tied himself thereunto.
—Martin Luther.

These Days

By George E. Sokolsky

TECHNIQUES OF CONFUSION

In Italy, the Communist Party supports religion. Italy is peculiarly a Roman Catholic country in the sense that practically all Italians regard themselves as Catholics, even the atheists. In such a country, religion is the national philosophy of life, the central social relationship. It is a civilization. Italians who never set foot in a church are Catholics because without it their way of life would lack meaning. That is admittedly difficult for Americans to understand; here it was possible for the Supreme Court to outlaw religion—any and all religion—to make atheism a way of life.

So, whereas the whole of Marxian philosophy is based upon a biologic conception of life which rejects God and the supernatural, in Italy, the same party, the same individuals support religion, encourage church marriages, baptisms, confirmations. By this device they encourage the Italians to believe that their Communists are simply politicians vying for power; that they do not have a philosophy of life which is utterly different from the Christian philosophy of life. It is a wonderful device.

Of course, the Communists attack the Vatican and the Catholic clergy, but not the religion that they represent. This is clever, too. For by not attacking the religion but only the clergy they seek to seperate the people from their intellectual leaders who happen to be the clergy, just as in Rumania, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia, they killed or exiled professors of the universities, school-teachers, middle-class leaders—separating their peoples from their leaders. In Poland, they killed most of them. Many in Hungary were exiled to Yakutsk. It is a technique of confusion designed to leave the people almost helpless. For in many countries in Europe, particularly in those where literacy is not too high, the intellectual plays an extraordinary important role of leadership. By killing off or exiling the anti-Communist intellectuals, the Russians open the door for their stooges to act as substitutes.

And now, they have started a new campaign. The Italians are naturally proud of the fact that for over four centuries every Pope has been an Italian. Now the Communists in Italy are telling the people that the next Pope is to be an American. There are three of them, Cardinals Stritch, Mooney and Spellman, who are being advertised as prospects for the Papal succession. Behind that is the scare that "American imperialism" will force an American Pope on the Italian people. A clever device.

In a word, not only is "American imperialism" a dollar control of a country, according to the Communists, but in Italy, it takes on a special form of also controlling the Vatican. This is an example of the way this party operates on a universal scale. In each country it employs whatever techniques serve for the moment. It does not matter whether there is the slightest truth in what they say. Does the truth matter? Does anything matter bu the end to be achieved? For that end, they will lie; they will even kill. It is what the Communists regard as the "inevitable" end, for which all things may be done.

And that is what Americans must remember. We Americans are irrevocably attached to freedom of the individual, freedom of speech, of thought, of expression in every manner. So when the Communists need to cover their corruption, they shriek about freedom. That immediately evokes every sense of fair play and decency in an American. Why should not every American, or, for that matter, every human being, be free to express himself as he chooses? Are we to have thought control? Are we to have censorship of the movies? Are we to refuse to recognize that there is another side to every question?

Let us look at the other side of that picture. A vast international conspiracy, directed centrally by a universal state, designed to achieve a world unity around a separate creed, functioning in every country through disciplined agents, obedient to the will of an elite, operates in the United States as it does in Italy, France, Czechoslovakia, China, everywhere.

Are we not to protect ourselves? Is it necessary that we should be destroyed as a people because we dare not protect ourselves?

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Pitching Horseshoes

By Billy Rose

The only queen I ever met died on March 9th. Her name was Josie De Mott Robinson.

I first met Josie back in 1934 when I was lining up a cast for "Jumbo." The Hecht-MacArthur script called for some old-time circus stars, and Nagafy the Fire-eater suggested I look up Josie De Mott, the bareback rider. "She's past seventy," said the diavolo, "but don't let that throw you. She can still do more tricks on a horse than I can on a sidewalk."

Billy Rose

I dropped Josie a note and she showed up a few days later at the Hippodrome—a grey-haired kewpie doll about five feet tall. "Can you still ride?" I asked her.

Josie smiled a sweet-old-lady smile. "Try me," she said.

We went down to the basement where the horses were stabled and she selected a dappled percheron. Rehearsals stopped in the arena as the old girl went into her audition. I looked and blinked. The three-score-and-tenner was performing with the same limp, kittenish speed that had been hers as a girl. I got the feeling she was doing more than ride the horse—she seemed to inhale the darned thing through the soles of her feet, to become a human-shaped piece of it.

When Josie dismounted, the performers and roustabouts lined up to pay their respects. They addressed her the way I imagine the Duke of Cumberland addresses the Dowager Queen, and I got the feeling that if I didn't engage Josie, the cast would throw me into my own tiger cage.

I began to realize what Josie meant to circus folks when Dick Maney, my press agent, brought me the "Jumbo" program copy to okay. This flinty Broadway broadsider had devoted as much space to the has-been as he had to Durante and Whiteman, and he had written about her with a degree of feeling and respect I never knew was in his typewriter.

Josie De Mott was born a sawdust princess, and no Bourbon or Hapsburg had a better background. Her ancestors were doing horseback high-jinks when the center box was reserved for Napoleon I.

Josie made her debut at three in her father's horse-drawn caravan. According to the yellowed clips on my desk, the audience at first thought the tot was a mechanical doll. By the time she had galloped into her teens, she was a headliner with Barnum and Bailey. Swedes toasted her in glogg, and Mexicans in tequilla. She was as well-known in Paris as she was in Paterson.

In 1890, Josie fell in love with Charles Robinson, part owner of the Robinson Brothers' Circus. Everyone thought it was a fine match—the impresario and the star. But it didn't turn out that way. The impresario got interested in politics and became a gillie. A gillie is a person who thinks there is something in the world more important than the circus. For 15 years, Josie did her best to be a gillie too, but she never quite made it.

One day she got stuck on a cream-colored horse pulling a milk wagon, bought it, and went back into training. Robinson divorced her. Nobody had ever come back to bareback riding after a fifteen-year layoff, but Bailey, who owned 90 per cent of the Barnum Circus, gave her a contract. A month before the circus was to open at the old Garden, Josie missed a somersault and broke two ribs. The doctors taped her up, and the morning after opening night she was again the biggest five feet in Circusdom.

This was the saga of the sawdust sweetie who performed for me at the Hippodrome and went along with the troupe to Fort Worth when I presented "Jumbo" at the Centennial. The following year I discovered water, put on the first Aquacade, and forgot about Josie. Chances are I made a mistake by not asking her if she knew how to swim.

And now for one of those vignettes which make me glad I'm in show business.

One spring evening a few years back, I went to the opening of the circus at Madison Square Garden. As Merle Ivans picked up his baton to give the downbeat for the preliminary fanfare, he turned, faced a center box and bowed. Then, as the performers trotted out for the opening spec, I noticed their eyes were on the same box. The riders saluted with their whips as they pranced by. The aerialists signaled a jaunty two-fingered hello and the clowns did an extra flip. Prodded by their trainers, even the elephants waved their trunks.

"What gives?" I asked myself. "Is the president in the house?"

I followed a cracker-jack salesman down the aisle to the box. Seated in it was you-know-who. Her white hair had been patted, primped and curled until it looked like a platinum tiara.

After the finale, I went backtage and looked up Pat Valdo who has been major-domoing the Greatest Show on Earth for a quarter of a century. "Who arranged the big fuss for Josie?" I asked him.

"Nobody arranged it," said Valdo. "It's been happening like this for years."

"You mean Josie attends every circus opening?"

"Yes," said Pat, "and all the other performances as well. You see, the old lady lives in a hotel down on 23rd Street. Not much of a place—one of those bed, dresser and chair jobs. The walls are covered with her old circus posters, and on the mantle are the decorations she won—the medal the president of Mexico gave her, the miniature horse presented by Edward of England.

"Every year when the Big Show plays New York, Josie puts on her best dress and hires a limousine. She doesn't have any trouble getting into the Garden—she still has the gold lifetime pass Barnum himself gave her. The management reserves the center box for her, and every afternoon and night for six weeks, Josie is in that box. And if she wasn't, I guess the performers would get worried and figure something was wrong."

Well, when the Big Razzledazzle opens at the Garden come April 7th, I expect to be there with peanuts, popcorn and pennant. Being an old corn-ball, I'll naturally be thinking of Josie De Mott Robinson. And I'm willing to bet any kid a candy apple that the performers will play to the center box as usual, and nod their heads in memory of a lady whose life was a little sad, a little gallant and a little remarkable.

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Our Children

SMOKING, DRINKING

No young person with good sense, with an understanding of the fitness of things, will smoke or drink. A young person has a fine, a beautiful body that must house his spirit, protect his mind, work his will and fulfill his purpose for 70 years and more. To do what will lower the dignity, decrease the power of that body in the least degree is unworthy of an intelligent young person. Good sense, if nothing more, should prevent him from injuring himself.

Of course, the difficulty lies in the young person's notion that it is adding to his personality to smoke and drink. Grown people whom he admires do both. That is true, but he is not a grown-up person. He is a young person whose body, mind and soul are still to be built out of personal experience with the routines of daily life. His chief concern is to build for himself the strength, skill and power that will enable him to live successfully at the top of his group. He cannot do that if he smokes and drinks.

Drink never built anything but grief and desolation in anybody. It makes steady nerves tremble; it makes strong muscles quiver; it wipes a clear, strong mind out of itself; it reduces sturdy health to a pitiful incompetence. You have only to watch the smokers and the drinkers to know the truth of that statement. You have only to ask one of the victims of such habits to learn the bitterness of the woe they bring upon him.

For a young girl to drink is unthinkable. Beautiful, gay, in full control of herself and her way of life, she drinks until she is a helpless half-witted thing at the mercy of any evil man or woman who comes her way. Her beauty, her intelligence, her strength have been robbed and she is left a creature to be shamed by decent people.

It is idle to tell me that my statements are exaggerated, that it is possible to take a drink and enjoy it without harm to anyone. Young people, excited, inexperienced, longing to be smart, adult and popular, won't stop at one drink. What need have they for it? They have vitality, intelligence, power beyond anything alcohol can give them. It gives them nothing but it takes what is most valuable to them—their intelligence, their good names.

My chief concern in life is the rearing of youth to health and happiness. If children build a body, mind and soul to full strength, what they do in their later years will not take much from them. What means most to them is the quality of their youthful growth. For that they need no stimulant.

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Easter

Resurrection Sunday has meant for billions who trod the face of the earth the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. In it is the essence of hope that somehow the futilities and the frustrations of earthly existence will vanish in a brighter dawn.

Men of hard sense can argue away all that hope on the basis of their finite knowledge, but the plain fact remains that it has been implanted in the human breast from the very beginning—from the time of the formal creation if you will or from the time in evolution when the first crude man arose from the slime. We do not deny the truth of other extra-sensory attributes; why deny this?

Man should be turning now to a deeper concentration upon his spiritual side. Here in America we have amassed the wealth of Croesus and divided it better than it has yet been done elsewhere. All conceivable creature comforts are in our grasps. Yet we are not a particularly happy people. Happiness clearly is in the reach for something higher.

Man in his evolution has thoroughly worked the material side of the street and will not be a whole being until he has developed his character and fed his soul. It is easily demonstrable that the human animal, proceeding along his accustomed lines, will come to complete disaster. As the disciple of Jesus and the son of God he can approach the fullness of life and in no other way.

Two thousand years ago Christ demonstrated the triumph of virtue over crassness. That triumph is still an example for men to emulate. They have refused to do so to their continuing and mounting sorrow.

FOREIGN INVESTMENTS

American taxpayers would get a break, several of them, if private capital were moving abroad to grasp opportunities in the good old-fashioned way. But that isn't happening in nearly the degree it did after World War I.

The reason is that the American investor has learned he cannot trust foreign governments. There is some investment of American capital in the British dominions, but elsewhere prospects are too uncertain.

Latin America would like to have Americans come in and build all sorts of factories, but the catch is that Latin America frequently confiscates and repudiates. Mexico confiscated all American-owned oil wells ten years ago. The investor never knows when there will be a revolution down there that will change his prospects.

An American investor couldn't get through the iron curtain with a carload of TNT. Who wants to invest in France or Italy, where there is uncertainty from day to day as to what the next form of government will be like? China and the Orient formerly were great fields for American risk capital, but there is the retarding possibility now that communism may sweep over that area.

So American taxpayers are to supply most of the countries with capital, none of which will ever come back. It is too bad but that's the way it is and will be until governments the world over become trustworthy again.

POWER OF DECISION

General De Gaulle's proposal that the United States should arm the western European nations would be more impressive if those nations had something to arm. France, once credited with having the best army in Europe, has virtually nothing today. The same is true of other countries, Britain alone having a nucleus of military power.

Over a period of years, perhaps western Europe unitedly could build up enough strength to make Russia think twice about invading the west. But De Gaulle's talk about the need of American weapons without American troops is too reminiscent of the British boast before America got into World War II. "Give us the tools and we'll do the rest."

As a matter of fact America should take care this time to keep the power of decision in military matters. We could arm western Europe to the teeth but the minute Russia moved America would have to come to the rescue. If there must be war some time, America should be free to act in its own way.

It is becoming clearer that we made a mistake following the recent war in not taking full charge of the territory rescued and running it in our own way. We did that in Japan and Japan is causing us less trouble than any other country in which we are involved. We are arming Greece without the power to make the decisions, and the situation there for us is not at all comforting.

A RESTLESS PEOPLE

Trouble with us Americans is that we are in such a hurry to get somewhere that we often fail to look back and see how far we have come.

That is evident in the report of the department of labor which shows that the purchasing power of American factory workers has exactly doubled since 1913. Average weekly earnings 35 years ago were $11. Today they are $51. Inflation has reduced the purchasing power of the $51 to $22, in terms of 1913 values. Nevertheless it is twice as great.

Are we satisfied with our achievements? Not by a jugfull. We want more. We react enthusiastically to every suggestion for a larger intake to our pocketbooks, whether those suggestions are practical or not, and then likely as not become perturbed if those suggestions are not speedily adopted.

"During these 35 years," says the report, "wage earners have raised their standard of living, won a greater voice in the determination of their working conditions and established the right to bargain collectively."

Such achievements are the envy of other peoples but they are trampled thoughtlessly under the feet of Americans, the most restless folk on earth. Our thoughts are always concentrated on higher material ground and what does it get you to look back?

Jimmie Fidler
IN HOLLYWOOD

HOLLYWOOD, March 27.—After repeated examinations three doctors still don't know why Melvyn Douglas has lost his voice . . . With Gregory Peck unavailable because of previous commitments, it's Robert Taylor for the role of Monte Stratton, the crippled baseball star . . . Ode to fame: Old photos of the one-time "Bobo" Sears, dug up since her marriage to Winthrop Rockefeller, are selling for six-bits apiece in the boulevard magazine shops . . . Dorothy Lamour has decided to postpone that much-talked about operation, but she's taking time out for a rest cure at the Arrowhead Springs resort.

Don't be surprised if Paramount and Bing Crosby ink a "lifetime" contract this spring . . . The Mickey Rooneys have signed a property settlement; she'll file for divorce in April . . . Can Orson Welles's reported romance with an Italian countess have anything to do with his decision to work, indefinitely, in Italy? . . . If Carole Landis decides to sue for divorce from her estranged spouse, Producer Horace Schmidlapp, she'll have a battle on her hands; he's threatening a counter suit.

Doc Stork has canceled his date with the Richard Widmarks . . . Time out for Cathy Downs, nursing eye injuries received when a flash bulb exploded within inches of her face. . . . Blue pencil that columnist's report that Ann Sheridan and Steve Hannagan had rifted . . . Screen villain Tony Caruso and his missus have registered with a Chicago orphanage for an adopted son.

PREVIEW NIGHTS: Pic of the week: Paramount's "Hazard" (Paulette Goddard-MacDonald Carey-Fred Clark). Mile-a-minute comedy about a gal with gambling fever—and you can cash your tickets for plenty of laughs . . . GOOD: MGM's "The Search" (Montgomery Clift-Aline MacMahon-Jarmila Novotna). Documentary drama, filmed in the devastated areas in Germany . . . SO-SO: Eagle-Lion's "The October Man" (John Mills-Joan Greenwood). British-made murder mystery with several hair-lifting sequences . . . 20th Century-Fox's "Meet Me at Dawn" (William Eythe-Stanley Holloway-Beatrice Campbell). A made-in-England romance with lots of froth and little body . . . Columbia's "The Return of Whistler" (Michael Duane-Lenore Aubert-Richard Lane). Run-of-the-mill crime drama . . . BEST PERFORMANCE: Paulette Goddard in "Hazard."

One of the subjects most frequently discussed in Hollywood columns this week has been Loretta Young's sincere surprise when she was declared the winner of an Academy "Oscar." More significant, to my way of thinking, was the extreme surprise of her own studio bosses, who, for three months, had devoted all their efforts to a campaign in behalf of Rosalind Russell. As a matter of fact, they neglected Loretta's bid so completely that I don't remember seeing her name mentioned in any of their ads or publicity releases. In view of Miss Russell's remarkable performance in "Mourning Becomes Electra," no one can attack their critical judgment, but I think that Miss Young's triumph proves that they were guilty of overlooking one important factor. Her picture, "The Farmer's Daughter," was delightful entertainment; "Mourning Becomes Electra" was far too sombre to appeal to the average audience. Assuming that the performance of the two stars were equal in merit, it's hardly surprising that the Oscar should go to the one who played the more ENTERTAINING role.

Speaking of the Academy Awards, I'm inclined to think that the biggest winner of all was the trade press of Filmville. More than ever before, the studios with pictures and players in the running attempted to clinch victories through the power of advertising. Prior to the presentation of Awards, hundreds of full-page ads were purchased in the trade papers; on the Monday following the handing out of the statuettes, each of the leading trade papers carried 39 full pages of advertisements, bought either by the winners to express their gratitude, or by individuals or organizations to congratulate the winners. As far as the Hollywood publishers are concerned, those "Oscars" are really made of gold.

Still speaking of Academy Awards, it's surprising to note that the British made a clean sweep in the fields of art direction, set decoration and cinematography—surprising because it hasn't been many years since American movie producers were unanimous in scoffing at the inferiority of English films in those very departments. I'm sadly afraid that the Americans are paying the price for complacency. Instead of boasting so loudly about the achievements of our designers and cameramen, maybe we'd better spend some of our energies catching up with the parade of progress. We're being left far behind by foreign competition.

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DOWN SOUTH

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COMPARISONS ARE FALLACIOUS

Comparisons are not only odious, as the poet has said, but they are also fallacious.

Let's consider this a moment as related to the South. One who accepts comparisons at face value would be quite disheartened by the ranking of the Southern states as portrayed by various agencies from time to time. He would undoubtedly reach the conclusion that the people of the South are the poorest, most ill-paid, most illiterate, most unhealthy, most backward in every way of all the people of the nation. He might well wonder why anybody would live in the South!

He would reach this conclusion because these agencies invariably rank the states of the South at the bottom of the list of the forty-eight states of the nation in making comparisons of these various factors as they affect the lives of the people.

That is why it may well be said that comparisons are fallacious. We, here in the South, know that these rankings must not be accepted at face value. We know that the figures themselves quite often do not present a true picture, and we know further that there are many factors affecting the life and welfare of a people that cannot be measured with statistical tables.

Let's consider per capita income, for instance. This is one of the favorite tabulations made by agencies in comparing the material welfare of the people of the nation. Fourteen of the sixteen Southern states are among the bottom sixteen states of the nation in this comparison. The position of the South in this respect is therefore deprecated, and even many of us in the South are misled by the comparison.

What is overlooked in a per capita income comparison is that the figures shown represent cash income only. The comparison, so far as the South is concerned, therefore, is entirely fallacious—because a great portion of the income of a major percentage of the Southern people is not cash income.

The South has a considerably larger than national average rural population. The last census showed that the rural population for the nation was 43% of the nation's total population, whereas the ruarl population of the South is 64% of the South's total population. Or, to put it another way, the South, with one-third the nation's population, has 51% of the nation's rural population

Anyone who gives the matter a second thought knows that people who live on the farm derive much of their substenance direct from the farm, and that the actual material welfare of a farmer's family and the family of a mechanic in an automobile plant cannot be compared by their respective cash incomes.

This is particularly true here in our own Southland, and is well illustrated by a survey made in Middle Tennessee by the Nashville Chamber of Commerce. A study was made of 6,675 families in that area, and it was found that 5,076 of these families, or 88% of the total, grew 75% or over of their own food supply in 1947. This may be a better record than the average community in the South, but even a considerably lower percentage would show the fallacy of comparing this welfare of a predominantly agricultural region with a predominantly industrial region on a per capita cash income basis.

The next time we are presented with a statistical tabulation ranking the Southern states at the bottom of the states of the nation, let's remember to ask for a grain of salt to go along with it.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Scripture: Ezekiel 1:1-3; 3:11, 17-21; 4:1-3

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.

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Spurning the counsel of men old in wisdom and experience, Rehoboam listened to young hotheads who urged him to show the people who was master. "My father," he said, "chastised you with whips; I'll chastise you with scorpions."

The result was that Jeroboam, a former leader of discontent, who had fled Egypt, returned, led a successful rebellion, and established with 10 revolting tribes the Northern Kingdom, or Kingdom of Israel. Two tribes remained loyal to Rehoboam in the Southern Kingdom, or Kingdom of Judah.

The kingdom that was strengthened and consolidated under David and Solomon did not long survive this strife and division. In 722 B. C. the hosts of Assyria destroyed the Northern Kingdom, and 136 years later the Babylonians conquered the Southern Kingdom and carried off its leaders and most of the people into exile.

A vivid portrayal of the exile is presented in the 137th Psalm. But the suffering and bitterness there expressed apparently became considerably modified as the exiles were established in a colony and became so prosperous that many of them refused to return to Palestine when the opportunity came.

It is a tragedy of human life that the things of most worth are often not properly valued until they are lost. Prior to the exile there had been a moral and religious letdown in Israel.

But now, in a strange land, the things they had lost became vital. "How shall we sing the Lord's song in a strange land?"

It was under these circumstances that a great prophet, Ezekiel, arose in exile to revive all the glory of the Jewish religious tradition. Boldly and bravely he recounted the course of betrayal and idolatry in which they had renounced God's call and leadership. He called the people to repentance and faith that led to a glorious restoration.

BIBLE THOUGHTS

We give thanks to God always for you all, making mention of you in our prayers . . .—1 Thessalonians 1:2.

Prayer is a powerful thing; for God has bound and tied himself thereunto.
—Martin Luther.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT

By Ripley

EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON

THE PATHETIC EMPRESS—Elizabeth, widow of the Duke of Albemarle and one of the richest women in England, vowed that she would give her hand to none but a crowned hand. Ralph Duke of Montague, (1638-1709) thereupon disguised himself as the emperor of China, wooed her ardently and married her as Emperor Ralph of China. The marriage took place in 1692, the Duke died in 1709, but the poor "empress" survived for another 25 years, not dying until 1734 believing to the end of her life that she had married the Chinese Emperor. The man she married was only an English Duke, her marriage certificate, a hoax, the "Chinese" wedding guests, the servants who always served her on bended knees, were hired actors disguised to fool her.

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These Days

By George E. Sokolsky

TECHNIQUES OF CONFUSION

In Italy, the Communist Party supports religion. Italy is peculiarly a Roman Catholic country in the sense that practically all Italians regard themselves as Catholics, even the atheists. In such a country, religion is the national philosophy of life, the central social relationship. It is a civilization. Italians who never set foot in a church are Catholics because without it their way of life would lack meaning. That is admittedly difficult for Americans to understand; here it was possible for the Supreme Court to outlaw religion—any and all religion—to make atheism a way of life.

So, whereas the whole of Marxian philosophy is based upon a biologic conception of life which rejects God and the supernatural, in Italy, the same party, the same individuals support religion, encourage church marriages, baptisms, confirmations. By this device they encourage the Italians to believe that their Communists are simply politicians vying for power; that they do not have a philosophy of life which is utterly different from the Christian philosophy of life. It is a wonderful device.

Of course, the Communists attack the Vatican and the Catholic clergy, but not the religion that they represent. This is clever, too. For by not attacking the religion but only the clergy they seek to seperate the people from their intellectual leaders who happen to be the clergy, just as in Rumania, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia, they killed or exiled professors of the universities, school-teachers, middle-class leaders—separating their peoples from their leaders. In Poland, they killed most of them. Many in Hungary were exiled to Yakutsk. It is a technique of confusion designed to leave the people almost helpless. For in many countries in Europe, particularly in those where literacy is not too high, the intellectual plays an extraordinary important role of leadership. By killing off or exiling the anti-Communist intellectuals, the Russians open the door for their stooges to act as substitutes.

And now, they have started a new campaign. The Italians are naturally proud of the fact that for over four centuries every Pope has been an Italian. Now the Communists in Italy are telling the people that the next Pope is to be an American. There are three of them, Cardinals Stritch, Mooney and Spellman, who are being advertised as prospects for the Papal succession. Behind that is the scare that "American imperialism" will force an American Pope on the Italian people. A clever device.

In a word, not only is "American imperialism" a dollar control of a country, according to the Communists, but in Italy, it takes on a special form of also controlling the Vatican. This is an example of the way this party operates on a universal scale. In each country it employs whatever techniques serve for the moment. It does not matter whether there is the slightest truth in what they say. Does the truth matter? Does anything matter bu the end to be achieved? For that end, they will lie; they will even kill. It is what the Communists regard as the "inevitable" end, for which all things may be done.

And that is what Americans must remember. We Americans are irrevocably attached to freedom of the individual, freedom of speech, of thought, of expression in every manner. So when the Communists need to cover their corruption, they shriek about freedom. That immediately evokes every sense of fair play and decency in an American. Why should not every American, or, for that matter, every human being, be free to express himself as he chooses? Are we to have thought control? Are we to have censorship of the movies? Are we to refuse to recognize that there is another side to every question?

Let us look at the other side of that picture. A vast international conspiracy, directed centrally by a universal state, designed to achieve a world unity around a separate creed, functioning in every country through disciplined agents, obedient to the will of an elite, operates in the United States as it does in Italy, France, Czechoslovakia, China, everywhere.

Are we not to protect ourselves? Is it necessary that we should be destroyed as a people because we dare not protect ourselves?

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BUILDING PERMITS

A permit was granted to H. J. Cassanova to add to a store at 612 North Third Street at a cost of $900. Day labor will be employed under the supervision of John White.

M. Vallery received permission to construct a dwelling at 202 Wilson Street, at a cost of $2,000. The owner will be the contractor.

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HERE is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It is a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner of the rectangle and check every one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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Pitching Horseshoes

By Billy Rose

The only queen I ever met died on March 9th. Her name was Josie De Mott Robinson.

I first met Josie back in 1934 when I was lining up a cast for "Jumbo." The Hecht-MacArthur script called for some old-time circus stars, and Nagafy the Fire eater suggested I look up Josie De Mott, the bareback rider. "She's past seventy," said the diavolo, "but don't let that throw you. She can still do more tricks on a horse than I can on a sidewalk."

Billy Rose

I dropped Josie a note and she showed up a few days later at the Hippodrome—a grey-haired kewpie doll about five feet tall. "Can you still ride?" I asked her.

Josie smiled a sweet-old-lady smile. "Try me," she said.

We went down to the basement where the horses were stabled and she selected a dappled percheron. Rehearsals stopped in the arena as the old girl went into her audition. I looked and blinked. The three-score-and-tenner was performing with the same limp, kittenish speed that had been hers as a girl. I got the feeling she was doing more than ride the horse—she seemed to inhale the darned thing through the soles of her feet, to become a human-shaped piece of it.

When Josie dismounted, the performers and roustabouts lined up to pay their respects. They addressed her the way I imagine the Duke of Cumberland addresses the Dowager Queen, and I got the feeling that if I didn't engage Josie, the cast would throw me into my own tiger cage.

I began to realize what Josie meant to circus folks when Dick Maney, my press agent, brought me the "Jumbo" program copy to okay. This flinty Broadway broadsider had devoted as much space to the has-been as he had to Durante and Whiteman, and he had written about her with a degree of feeling and respect I never knew was in his typewriter.

Josie De Mott was born a sawdust princess, and no Bourbon or Hapsburg had a better background. Her ancestors were doing horseback high-jinks when the center box was reserved for Napoleon I.

Josie made her debut at three in her father's horse-drawn caravan. According to the yellowed clips on my desk, the audience at first thought the tot was a mechanical doll. By the time she had galloped into her teens, she was a headliner with Barnum and Bailey. Swedes toasted her in glogg, and Mexicans in tequilla. She was as well-known in Paris as she was in Paterson.

In 1890, Josie fell in love with Charles Robinson, part owner of the Robinson Brothers' Circus. Everyone thought it was a fine match—the impresario and the star. But it didn't turn out that way. The impresario got interested in politics and became a gillie. A gillie is a person who thinks there is something in the world more important than the circus. For 15 years, Josie did her best to be a gillie too, but she never quite made it.

One day she got stuck on a cream-colored horse pulling a milk wagon, bought it, and went back into training. Robinson divorced her. Nobody had ever come back to bareback riding after a fifteen-year layoff, but Bailey, who owned 90 per cent of the Barnum Circus, gave her a contract. A month before the circus was to open at the old Garden, Josie missed a somersault and broke two ribs. The doctors taped her up, and the morning after opening night she was again the biggest five feet in Circusdom.

This was the saga of the sawdust sweetie who performed for me at the Hippodrome and went along with the troupe to Fort Worth when I presented "Jumbo" at the Centennial. The following year I discovered water, put on the first Aquacade, and forgot about Josie. Chances are I made a mistake by not asking her if she knew how to swim.

And now for one of those vignettes which make me glad I'm in show business.

One spring evening a few years back, I went to the opening of the circus at Madison Square Garden. As Merle Ivans picked up his baton to give the downbeat for the preliminary fanfare, he turned, faced a center box and bowed. Then, as the performers trotted out for the opening spec, I noticed their eyes were on the same box. The riders saluted with their whips as they pranced by. The aerialists signaled a jaunty two-fingered hello and the clowns did an extra flip. Prodded by their trainers, even the elephants waved their trunks.

"What gives?" I asked myself. "Is the president in the house?"

I followed a cracker-jack salesman down the aisle to the box. Seated in it was you-know-who. Her white hair had been patted, primped and curled until it looked like a platinum tiara.

After the finale, I went backtage and looked up Pat Valdo who has been major-domoing the Greatest Show on Earth for a quarter of a century. "Who arranged the big fuss for Josie?" I asked him.

"Nobody arranged it," said Valdo. "It's been happening like this for years."

"You mean Josie attends every circus opening?"

"Yes," said Pat, "and all the other performances as well. You see, the old lady lives in a hotel down on 23rd Street. Not much of a place—one of those bed, dresser and chair jobs. The walls are covered with her old circus posters, and on the mantle are the decorations she won—the medal the president of Mexico gave her, the miniature horse presented by Edward of England.

"Every year when the Big Show plays New York, Josie puts on her best dress and hires a limousine. She doesn't have any trouble getting into the Garden—she still has the gold lifetime pass Barnum himself gave her. The management reserves the center box for her, and every afternoon and night for six weeks, Josie is in that box. And if she wasn't, I guess the performers would get worried and figure something was wrong."

Well, when the Big Razzledazzle opens at the Garden come April 7th, I expect to be there with peanuts, popcorn and pennant. Being an old corn-ball, I'll naturally be thinking of Josie De Mott Robinson. And I'm willing to bet any kid a candy apple that the performers will play to the center box as usual, and nod their heads in memory of a lady whose life was a little sad, a little gallant and a little remarkable.

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Our Children

SMOKING, DRINKING

No young person with good sense, with an understanding of the fitness of things, will smoke or drink. A young person has a fine, a beautiful body that must house his spirit, protect his mind, work his will and fulfill his purpose for 70 years and more. To do what will lower the dignity, decrease the power of that body in the least degree is unworthy of an intelligent young person. Good sense, if nothing more, should prevent him from injuring himself.

Of course, the difficulty lies in the young person's notion that it is adding to his personality to smoke and drink. Grown people whom he admires do both. That is true, but he is not a grown-up person. He is a young person whose body, mind and soul are still to be built out of personal experience with the routines of daily life. His chief concern is to build for himself the strength, skill and power that will enable him to live successfully at the top of his group. He cannot do that if he smokes and drinks.

Drink never built anything but grief and desolation in anybody. It makes steady nerves tremble; it makes strong muscles quiver; it wipes a clear, strong mind out of itself; it reduces sturdy health to a pitiful incompetence. You have only to watch the smokers and the drinkers to know the truth of that statement. You have only to ask one of the victims of such habits to learn the bitterness of the woe they bring upon him.

For a young girl to drink is unthinkable. Beautiful, gay, in full control of herself and her way of life, she drinks until she is a helpless half-witted thing at the mercy of any evil man or woman who comes her way. Her beauty, her intelligence, her strength have been robbed and she is left a creature to be shamed by decent people.

It is idle to tell me that my statements are exaggerated, that it is possible to take a drink and enjoy it without harm to anyone. Young people, excited, inexperienced, longing to be smart, adult and popular, won't stop at one drink. What need have they for it? They have vitality, intelligence, power beyond anything alcohol can give them. It gives them nothing but it takes what is most valuable to them—their intelligence, their good names.

My chief concern in life is the rearing of youth to health and happiness. If children build a body, mind and soul to full strength, what they do in their later years will not take much from them. What means most to them is the quality of their youthful growth. For that they need no stimulant.

Read what Dr. Patri advices parents in the matter of sex instruction for the young in his helpful leaflet, P-3, entitled, "Sex Instruction."

To obtain a copy, send 5 cents in coin and a stamped self-addressed envelope to him, c/o this paper, P. O. Box 99, Station G, New York 19, N. Y.

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Surface of the earth is computed at 196 million square miles, of which 139 million square miles are water and 57 million square miles are of land.

In the 16th Century, many Britons wore "cramp rings" which they believe prevent paralysis.

$50 PENSION TO BE CONSIDERED

Lawmakers May Find It Most Difficult Problem Of Session

By Edmond Le Breton

BATON ROUGE, La., March 27.—(AP)—The night he won the Democratic primary, Governor-Designate Earl K. Long announced he would make his $50 a month old age assistance plan his number one project as a governor.

Now that the time for translating the plan into legislation is close at hand, the lawmakers may find it their number one problem in difficulty and complexity, as well as priority.

Two things are certain to complicate the legislators' task.

One is the huge cost of raising the level of old age benefits from the present $22 to $50, at the same time liberalizing regulations so that more persons may participate. The cost factor makes it almost certain that the legislature will have to find new revenues to finance welfare payments.

The other is the fact that the welfare program is a joint undertaking by the state and the United States government. As a result, any changes the state makes in its present program must conform to federal laws and regulations—unless the state is prepared to finance the program alone.

For the present fiscal year, the federal government put up about 60 per cent of the funds for welfare payments of all sorts—old age assistance, aid to the blind and to dependent children. Even so, the state's share ran to about $10,250,000—and that sum may not see the year out. The legislature may be asked to make an emergency appropriation as soon as it meets.

The federal matching of state old age payments is on a sliding scale.

For the first $10 the state provides for an average grant, the government puts up $15. For the next $10 the state contributes to each grant, the government matches dollar for dollar. Then the government stops. To put it another way, the federal matching stops when grants reach $45—$25 federal, $20 state. Every dollar above that figure the state must put in alone. At the $22 level, the state pays only a third of the bill. At the $50 level it would pay half.

Federal law sets up eight conditions which states must meet in order to receive federal welfare contributions. Most of these would have no effect on the proposed change in the Louisiana system.

But one specifies that the state must consider a person's "income and resources" before declaring him eligible for welfare assistance. That means that old age assistance must be paid on a basis of need, not as a flat pension for everyone above a certain age.

This restriction, officials believe, would not prevent Louisiana from liberalizing its present policies on eligibility. For example, the welfare department now refuses welfare payments to any aged person who has more than $100 cash on hand or in the bank. This limit probably could be raised without federal protest. More latitude also probably could be allowed in calculating such "income and resources" as ownership of a house, a vegetable garden, chickens, work stock or in weighing the value of help from relatives.

The governor-designate said during his campaign that he didn't think anyone should be barred from old age assistance "because he has an old horse or cow." No one is, under the present policies, but the income producing possibilities of such property are considered in determining how much assistance to give.

The federal law strictly limits old age assistance to persons 65 or older. The Louisiana constitutional provision under which the welfare department was established contains a similar provision. Even if the Louisiana constitution were amended, the state could expect no federal aid for payments to the very numerous 60 to 65 year old class.

Long said during his campaign that he favored lowering the eligibility age to 60. Whether he would recommend to the legislature that Louisiana undertake to do this without corresponding action by the federal government or what the legislature would do with such a recommendation remains to be seen.

No one knows at this stage of the discussions what a liberalized old age assistance program, with $50 the standard payment, would cost the state. Too much depends on how many persons would be made eligible and how many would apply.

New applications for old age assistance took a noticeable upturn during the campaign and they increased nearly 500 during February, the month of the second primary.

It is certain the bill would be heavy. There have been no indications from the new administration as to what tax increases might be sought to finance such a program. Some legislators informally have mentioned the possibility of increasing the sales tax. Oil income from the tidelands might help, though they would come nowhere near covering the cost. However, the tidelands money is frozen by a constitutional amendment for retirement of the state debt, and even if it should be released, some legislators are speaking of using it for a veterans' bonus.

13 ARE ARRESTED BY STATE POLICE

Thirteen persons were arrested in the last week by members of troop F of the state police. They were:

Nolan R. White, 18, of Arcata, Calif.; Harlon White, 19, of Arcata, Calif.; Thomas A. Massey, 18, of Ft. Worth, Tex.; all were charged with theft.

John E. Ham, 36, of Farmerville, was charged with drunk driving.

Two Negroes, T. R. Cotton, Jr., 20, and Joe N. King, 20, both of Monroe, were arrested and held for investigation for breaking and entering in the night.

Marshall Taylor, Negro, 23, of Columbia, was charged with reckless driving.

Frank H. McLeland, 41, Negro, of Monroe, was picked up for the sheriff's office of Ouachita parish.

George W. Gwin, 18, of Rayville, was charged with drunk driving and causing accident.

Odis R. Gwin, 25, Pioneer, was charged with simple assault.

Donald F. Henry, 25, of West Monroe, was charged with being drunk and disturbing the peace.

Jimmy Allen, 34, of Monroe, was charged with reckless driving and running a red light.

Andrew Newton, Negro, 34, of Clarks, was charged with passing a school bus while unloading school children.

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6. Having been Superintendent of Streets and Parks for the past five years and working with the Garden Clubs and others interested in the beautification of our City, I will endeavor to help carry the program out to the satisfaction of all parties.
7. I will never consent to sell or lease our power plant to anyone.
8. I am in favor of a Municipal ball park and colosseum for other sports and expanding our recreation facilities for all the people of our city.
9. I will work to adjust salaries of all City employees to conform with economic conditions.
10. I will keep my office open to all the people and will be on the job at all times, working for the best interest of the City.

J. P. (JOHNNIE) SIMMONS
(Paid Political Advertisement)

PREMIUM BEEF AT DELHI SHOW

Two junior farmers stand with the prize calves that won top ribbons, brought top prices in the Delhi livestock auction. Top: P. P. Williams of Vicksburg, Miss., bids 55 cents per pound, highest price in the sale, for the purple ribbon entry of Betty Jane Payne of the Franklin parish 4-H club. Bottom: Mary Ann McMullen of Ouachita parish prepares to turn over her calf to Gus Primos of Monroe, whose bid of 49 cents per pound bought for the restaurant owner some choice blue ribbon beef.

WELL APPOINTED BOOKMOBILE TO START SERVICE IN PARISH

As the culmination of untiring efforts the last of which comprised the passage last year of a special parish-wide tax, the Ouachita Parish Bookmobile is to be put into operation to serve all parts of the parish. The maiden trip will be made on Wednesday and the second one on Friday, states Miss Frances Flander, librarian at the Ouachita Parish Public Library.

A fine new car has been purchased for the Bookmobile which has a Chevrolet chassis and the body of the auto was specially constructed to meet requirements. The Bookmobile is now to be seen at the Lee-Rogers Chevrolet Company, Inc., 201 Washington street. It has capacity for 900 books and magazines, the books being fiction and non-fiction to meet all requirements of readers. Regular runs will be operated through the parish in such a way as to make a return trip every two weeks.

The various routings will be as follows:

1. Sterlington.
2. Sterlington highway to Fairbanks and Perryville.
3. Swartz to the parish line and also to Milhaven.
4. Ward 4 as far as Bosco, taking in Prairie road and the Winnsboro road as far as the Pine Grove grocery.
5. Highway 80 and Calhoun.
6. All the Brownsville area.
7. Arkansas road and Drew community, Wards 7, 8 and 9.

The days when runs are to be made to certain sections will be made known through the press, and the public is asked to watch the papers carefully.

In the Bookmobile will be a driver and one librarian making the trip each time.

The public will be at liberty to order such books as are desired and they will be delivered to the homes by the Bookmobile. The "motor library" will stop at designated central points and all that is needed is that 10 book borrowers register and designate a place where the books are to be left and collected.

Schedule Of Bookmobile

First Week

March 31—Fairbanks.
April 2—Calhoun.

Second Week

April 5—Sterlington.
April 7—Swartz.
April 8—Jonesboro Road, Ward 8.
April 9—Area around Brown Paper Mill.

Third Week

April 12—Ward 4.
April 13—Drew and Arkansas Road.
April 14—Fairbanks.
April 15—Ward 9.
April 16—Calhoun.

Fourth Week

April 19—Sterlington.
April 20—Ward 7.
April 21—Swartz.
April 22—Ward 8.
April 23—Area around Brown Paper Mill.

Route 2, Fairbanks and Perryville: McGow's Grocery, Lamkin Settlement, Turner's Store, School, Interstate Gas, Memphis Gas, Mr. Moore's, Perryville, 3 stops, Crossroads.

Route 5, Splane Addition: Joe Ball Grocery, Bates Grocery, Claiborne School, 10:00, D. L. Bryan Grocery, Dunn's Grocery, Calhoun School, 11:45, lunch, Post Office, Calhoun, J. E. Bryans Store, G. E. Johnson Lumber Co., Calhoun, Eureka School, 2:00, Powell's Service Station, Mrs. Defoe Richardson, T. J. Wilkinson's Grocery, Wallac's Grocery.

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BROTHERHOOD IS SERMON THEME

Dr. Gilbert Flays False Conception As Work Of Devil

True and false conceptions of human brotherhood were discussed by Dr. Dan Gilbert in his Friday night address in the First Baptist Church.

"In the consideration of this subject, as in the case of all others, we must separate realism from empty and romantic sentimentality. The basic fact is that God is the Creator of all mankind. All men are creatures of God. The Bible instructs that all human beings can trace their 'ancestry' back to Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden. There is, then, a biological or creative basis for human brotherhood.

"In the second place, there is a brotherhood of citizenship under the American flag. All citizens are equal under the Constitution; all are invested with equal rights. Every man is our equal and brother from the citizenship standpoint under the American system."

But Mr. Gilbert went on to explain that, according to the Bible, there is a division of the human race into two classes: the saved and the unsaved. "When man is born the first time, he is a sinner. He is conceived in sin and brought forth in iniquity. When man is born the second time, by the power of the Holy Spirit, he becomes a child of God. In his natural, unregenerate state, man is a child of sin and of satan."

Dr. Gilbert continued, "Many folks are mixed up on this point. There is so much propaganda spread regarding the universal fatherhood of God. But this idea has no basis in the Bible. God is the Creator of all men; all men are creatures of God. But not all men are children of God. Those who reject the love of God separate and alienate themselves from their Creator. God calls all men unto Himself through Christ. God wants to save all men. He wants to make them His children, but when they deliberately refuse and reject Divine love, it is empty sentimentality to embrace them in any catch-all, all-embracing classification of the brotherhood of mankind."

"It is easy to talk mawkish sentimentality about human brotherhood. But so long as sin reigns in men's hearts, so long as they live in rebellion against Divine love, so long as they hate their fellow-men, brotherhood remains an empty illusion so far as they are concerned.

"Brotherhood begins at Calvary, and until men are led to the foot of the cross, they cannot know the meaning of the Father's love and of His program for His children."

Dr. Gilbert concluded, "Instead of regarding brotherhood as an accomplished fact, instead of priding ourselves upon this attribute of our way of life, instead of sentimentalizing over it, we should get to work and start building it. The only way to build human brotherhood is upon the foundation of Faith. Brotherhood begins with an acceptance of the love of God in Christ."

FIRE ALARMS

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Lawmakers May Find It Most Difficult Problem Of Session

By Edmond Le Breton

BATON ROUGE, La., March 27.—(AP)—The night he won the Democratic primary, Governor-Designate Earl K. Long announced he would make his $50 a month old age assistance plan his number one project as a governor.

Now that the time for translating the plan into legislation is close at hand, the lawmakers may find it their number one problem in difficulty and complexity, as well as priority.

Two things are certain to complicate the legislators' task.

One is the huge cost of raising the level of old age benefits from the present $22 to $50, at the same time liberalizing regulations so that more persons may participate. The cost factor makes it almost certain that the legislature will have to find new revenues to finance welfare payments.

The other is the fact that the welfare program is a joint undertaking by the state and the United States government. As a result, any changes the state makes in its present program must conform to federal laws and regulations—unless the state is prepared to finance the program alone.

For the present fiscal year, the federal government put up about 60 per cent of the funds for welfare payments of all sorts—old age assistance, aid to the blind and to dependent children. Even so, the state's share ran to about $10,250,000—and that sum may not see the year out. The legislature may be asked to make an emergency appropriation as soon as it meets.

The federal matching of state old age payments is on a sliding scale.

For the first $10 the state provides for an average grant, the government puts up $15. For the next $10 the state contributes to each grant, the government matches dollar for dollar. Then the government stops. To put it another way, the federal matching stops when grants reach $45—$25 federal, $20 state. Every dollar above that figure the state must put in alone. At the $22 level, the state pays only a third of the bill. At the $50 level it would pay half.

Federal law sets up eight conditions which states must meet in order to receive federal welfare contributions. Most of these would have no effect on the proposed change in the Louisiana system.

But one specifies that the state must consider a person's "income and resources" before declaring him eligible for welfare assistance. That means that old age assistance must be paid on a basis of need, not as a flat pension for everyone above a certain age.

This restriction, officials believe, would not prevent Louisiana from liberalizing its present policies on eligibility. For example, the welfare department now refuses welfare payments to any aged person who has more than $100 cash on hand or in the bank. This limit probably could be raised without federal protest. More latitude also probably could be allowed in calculating such "income and resources" as ownership of a house, a vegetable garden, chickens, work stock or in weighing the value of help from relatives.

The governor-designate said during his campaign that he didn't think anyone should be barred from old age assistance "because he has an old horse or cow." No one is, under the present policies, but the income producing possibilities of such property are considered in determining how much assistance to give.

The federal law strictly limits old age assistance to persons 65 or older. The Louisiana constitutional provision under which the welfare department was established contains a similar provision. Even if the Louisiana constitution were amended, the state could expect no federal aid for payments to the very numerous 60 to 65 year old class.

Long said during his campaign that he favored lowering the eligibility age to 60. Whether he would recommend to the legislature that Louisiana undertake to do this without corresponding action by the federal government or what the legislature would do with such a recommendation remains to be seen.

No one knows at this stage of the discussions what a liberalized old age assistance program, with $50 the standard payment, would cost the state. Too much depends on how many persons would be made eligible and how many would apply.

New applications for old age assistance took a noticeable upturn during the campaign and they increased nearly 500 during February, the month of the second primary.

It is certain the bill would be heavy. There have been no indications from the new administration as to what tax increases might be sought to finance such a program. Some legislators informally have mentioned the possibility of increasing the sales tax. Oil income from the tidelands might help, though they would come nowhere near covering the cost. However, the tidelands money is frozen by a constitutional amendment for retirement of the state debt, and even if it should be released, some legislators are speaking of using it for a veterans' bonus.

13 ARE ARRESTED BY STATE POLICE

Thirteen persons were arrested in the last week by members of troop F of the state police. They were:

Nolan R. White, 18, of Arcata, Calif.; Harlon White, 19, of Arcata, Calif.; Thomas A. Massey, 18, of Ft. Worth, Tex.; all were charged with theft.

John E. Ham, 36, of Farmerville, was charged with drunk driving.

Two Negroes, T. R. Cotton, Jr., 20, and Joe N. King, 20, both of Monroe, were arrested and held for investigation for breaking and entering in the night.

Marshall Taylor, Negro, 23, of Columbia, was charged with reckless driving.

Frank H. McLeland, 41, Negro, of Monroe, was picked up for the sheriff's office of Ouachita parish.

George W. Gwin, 18, of Rayville, was charged with drunk driving and causing accident.

Odis R. Gwin, 25, Pioneer, was charged with simple assault.

Donald F. Henry, 25, of West Monroe, was charged with being drunk and disturbing the peace.

Jimmy Allen, 34, of Monroe, was charged with reckless driving and running a red light.

Andrew Newton, Negro, 34, of Clarks, was charged with passing a school bus while unloading school children.

About two per cent of American homes which were wired for electricity had mechanical refrigerators in 1926 and about 72 per cent had them in 1942.

PREMIUM BEEF AT DELHI SHOW

Two junior farmers stand with the prize calves that won top ribbons, brought top prices in the Delhi livestock auction. Top: P. P. Williams of Vicksburg, Miss., bids 55 cents per pound, highest price in the sale, for the purple ribbon entry of Betty Jane Payne of the Franklin parish 4-H club. Bottom: Mary Ann McMullen of Ouachita parish prepares to turn over her calf to Gus Primos of Monroe, whose bid of 49 cents per pound bought for the restaurant owner some choice blue ribbon beef.

WELL APPOINTED BOOKMOBILE TO START SERVICE IN PARISH

As the culmination of untiring efforts the last of which comprised the passage last year of a special parish-wide tax, the Ouachita Parish Bookmobile is to be put into operation to serve all parts of the parish. The maiden trip will be made on Wednesday and the second one on Friday, states Miss Frances Flander, librarian at the Ouachita Parish Public Library.

A fine new car has been purchased for the Bookmobile which has a Chevrolet chassis and the body of the auto was specially constructed to meet requirements. The Bookmobile is now to be seen at the Lee-Rogers Chevrolet Company, Inc., 201 Washington street. It has capacity for 900 books and magazines, the books being fiction and non-fiction to meet all requirements of readers. Regular runs will be operated through the parish in such a way as to make a return trip every two weeks.

The various routings will be as follows:

1. Sterlington.
2. Sterlington highway to Fairbanks and Perryville.
3. Swartz to the parish line and also to Milhaven.
4. Ward 4 as far as Bosco, taking in Prairie road and the Winnsboro road as far as the Pine Grove grocery.
5. Highway 80 and Calhoun.
6. All the Brownsville area.
7. Arkansas road and Drew community, Wards 7, 8 and 9.

The days when runs are to be made to certain sections will be made known through the press, and the public is asked to watch the papers carefully.

In the Bookmobile will be a driver and one librarian making the trip each time.

The public will be at liberty to order such books as are desired and they will be delivered to the homes by the Bookmobile. The "motor library" will stop at designated central points and all that is needed is that 10 book borrowers register and designate a place where the books are to be left and collected.

Schedule Of Bookmobile

First Week

March 31—Fairbanks.
April 2—Calhoun.

Second Week

April 5—Sterlington.
April 7—Swartz.
April 8—Jonesboro Road, Ward 8.
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Third Week

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April 19—Sterlington.
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Route 5, Splane Addition: Joe Ball Grocery, Bates Grocery, Claiborne School, 10:00, D. L. Bryan Grocery, Dunn's Grocery, Calhoun School, 11:45, lunch, Post Office, Calhoun, J. E. Bryans Store, G. E. Johnson Lumber Co., Calhoun, Eureka School, 2:00, Powell's Service Station, Mrs. Defoe Richardson, T. J. Wilkinson's Grocery, Wallac's Grocery.

BROTHERHOOD IS SERMON THEME

Dr. Gilbert Flays False Conception As Work Of Devil

True and false conceptions of human brotherhood were discussed by Dr. Dan Gilbert in his Friday night address in the First Baptist Church.

"In the consideration of this subject, as in the case of all others, we must separate realism from empty and romantic sentimentality. The basic fact is that God is the Creator of all mankind. All men are creatures of God. The Bible instructs that all human beings can trace their 'ancestry' back to Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden. There is, then, a biological or creative basis for human brotherhood.

"In the second place, there is a brotherhood of citizenship under the American flag. All citizens are equal under the Constitution; all are invested with equal rights. Every man is our equal and brother from the citizenship standpoint under the American system."

But Mr. Gilbert went on to explain that, according to the Bible, there is a division of the human race into two classes: the saved and the unsaved. "When man is born the first time, he is a sinner. He is conceived in sin and brought forth in iniquity. When man is born the second time, by the power of the Holy Spirit, he becomes a child of God. In his natural, unregenerate state, man is a child of sin and of satan."

Dr. Gilbert continued, "Many folks are mixed up on this point. There is so much propaganda spread regarding the universal fatherhood of God. But this idea has no basis in the Bible. God is the Creator of all men; all men are creatures of God. But not all men are children of God. Those who reject the love of God separate and alienate themselves from their Creator. God calls all men unto Himself through Christ. God wants to save all men. He wants to make them His children, but when they deliberately refuse and reject Divine love, it is empty sentimentality to embrace them in any catch-all, all-embracing classification of the brotherhood of mankind."

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Ora Extended North, South; Auger Test Slated Tuesday

Delhi Edge Test Abandoned; California Co. Building Roads To Maxey No. 2

Ora field was lengthened north and south last week as Union parish operators in a sudden upsurge of activity completed a total of seven new producers.

About a mile north of the field, Shell Oil Company's Frost Lumber Industries No. 1, section 12-22-1W, is being readied for preliminary tests. The company has described it as a "likely producer."

Approximately a mile and a half further north, C. M. Bagley and Shell are preparing to test the Auger No. 1, section 36-22-1W, here Tuesday. The operators last week moved in a jackknife rig after setting 5 7/8-inch production string to approximately 2,200 feet. Although the project is "tight," the well is reported to have penetrated 14 feet of saturated sand.

Southwest of the field, Sam Sklar scored his ninth success on his Jack S. Dykes lease in section 9-21-1W. The latest completion, the Dykes No. 9, was tested at a pumping output of 120 barrels a day. South of the No. 9, Sklar has staked location for the Dykes No. 10 and No. 11. The tract has sufficient room for 23 locations, on 20 of which Sklar expects to bring in producers.

Also in the southwest extension, Crown Central Production Corporation brought in its maiden venture, the Kate M. Hicks No. 1, and Sellars-Ewing completed their Price No. 7. The Hicks, section 3-21-1W, was gauged at pumping 82 barrels daily, and the Price, section 4-21-1W, 49 barrels a day.

Shell's Frost Lumber Industries D-7, section 34-22-1W, was completed at a pumping potential of 63 barrels a day.

Of the development's three casualties during the week, two were in the southwest extension and one northwest of the discovery area. In section 20-21-1W, J. F. Stone abandoned the O. B. Lee No. 1 at 2,501 feet, and in section 35-22-1W, Jim McMurrey plugged the Alton Odom No. 1. It was McMurrey's second failure within a week. Previously he abandoned the W. M. Pollock No. 1 in section 20-21-1W. In section 21-22-1W, Marine Oil Company closed up the W. A. Farrar No. 1 at 2,300 feet.

Other completions during the week were Shell's Frost Lumber D-4, 26-22-1W, rated at pumping 52 barrels a day; Shell's Tucker Unit No. 1, 23-22-1W, gauged at a pumping output of 63 barrels a day; and Marine Oil Company's Monzingo-Rivers No. 6, section 23-22-1W, rated at 36 barrels a day pumping.

Elsewhere in the district, Murphy-Sun Oil Company abandoned its edge test in the West Delhi sector at 3,330 feet. Site of the project, the McKay Frazier No. 1 was in section 15-17-10E of Madison parish.

In the Franklin parish South Delhi sector, Bryant and Caraway are preparing to perforate from 3,570-50 feet in the Merritt No. 1, section 11-16-8E, a well which may further extend production in the fast-growing area.

The California Company is beginning construction of roads to its new Ouachita parish venture, the Walter Maxey No. 2, section 32-18-1E, about 14 miles west of Monroe . . . J. K. Wadley of Texarkana is reported planning a wildcat test in section 2 or 3 of township 16-6E, along the eastern flank of the old Richland gas field in Richland parish . . . A new venture in Jackson parish is Delta Drilling Company's Davis Lumber Company No. 1, section 26-16-3W, a proposed 8,000-foot or Travis Peak wildcat test four miles east and one mile south of Quitman.

AREA OIL OUTPUT HIKED 874 BBLS.

Ora Offsets Previous Decrease; State Production Total Set At 516,755

Recovery from production difficulties plus new completions has enabled Union parish's Ora field to gain an April allowable increase of 403 barrels a day, more than offsetting its decrease this month.

The April allowable for the Monroe district as a whole has been set by the state conservation department at a gross total of 85,051 barrels a day—compared with 84,177 barrels in March.

Only decline is in the Delhi area—down 204 barrels to 23,065. Tullos-Urania remains unchanged, while Big Creek, South Big Creek, Lake St. John, LaSalle, Holly Ridge all show slight rises ranging from seven to 165 barrels a day.

A newcomer to the state production schedule is the South Delhi area in the northeast part of Franklin parish where American Liberty Oil Company has brought in five wells this year. The area has been assigned an allowable of 654 barrels during April.

The new allowables are:

	April	March
Ora	9,916	9,513
Big Creek	5,282	5,136
South Big Creek	575	561
Delhi	23,065	23,249
Lake St. John	21,740	21,691
Holly Ridge	3,044	3,037
LaSalle	18,875	18,710
Manifest	0	0
Tullos-Urania	1,900	1,900
South Delhi	654	000
	85,051	84,177

The increase for north Louisiana fields is 1,185 barrels a day or an aggregate allowable of 129,235 barrels during April, compared with 128,050 in March. Practically all of the gain is accounted for by Ora and by the Haynesville field in Claiborne parish—up 900 barrels 10,713.

The statewide increase is a little under 3,000 barrels—516,755 compared with 513,765. The figure for April a year ago was 452,811.

In South Louisiana, the New Orleans district dropped 543 barrels to 110,301, but Houma, Lake Charles and Lafayette all gained substantially.

Largest increase was in the Lafayette area, up 1,470 barrels to 133,281.

The state allowables by districts are:

	April	March
North Louisiana:		
Monroe	85,051	84,177
Shreveport	44,184	43,873
	129,235	128,050
South Louisiana:		
Lafayette	133,281	131,791
New Orleans	110,301	110,844
Houma	75,938	75,282
Lake Charles	68,000	67,613
	387,520	385,715
Grand totals:		
State	516,755	513,765
North Louisiana	129,235	128,050
South Louisiana	387,520	385,715

2 Tests Promise Major Spur For Hico-Knowles

Lincoln Oil Development Booms As Feazel And California Company Prepare To Complete Two Assured Distillate Producers

Ranking area in northeast Louisiana oil operations last week was the potentially rich Hico-Knowles area west of Duback in Lincoln parish where two tests indicate the virtually certain prospect of large-scale expansion.

Approximately three miles west of Dubach, W. C. Feazel and Southwest Gas Producing Company's C. C. Barham No. 1, 21-20-3W, was reported flowing gas and condensate into burning pits. Extract perforations have not been given, but the test is said to be an upper sand in the Bodcaw somewhere near 8,458 feet.

Also an assured producer is the California Company's H. L. Nobles Unit B-32 No. 1, section 13-19-4W. Like the Feazel-Southwest project, the Nobles has flowed both gas and distillate, and is being readied for possible dual production.

Considerable interest is centering also on the Carter Oil Company's wildcat approximately 12 miles south of Hico-Knowles. The Carter test, the Marvin Mathews No. 1 is in section 22-18-7W, one mile east of Simsboro. The company is preparing to core at 9,197 feet in hard sand. Although no commercial showings have been encountered thus far, drilling will be continued to the contract depth of 10,000 feet.

Development of the Hico-Knowles area received two major stimuli during the past few months. One was the agreement of Texas Eastern Transmission company to provide an outlet for 35,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily. More recently, Southwest Gas Producing Company and the California Company announced plans for construction of two gasoline extraction plants each capable of processing 100,000,000 cubic feet of gas a day.

Production in the sector was established in 1944, but development was largely in abeyance until the Texas Eastern agreement last November. There are now eight producing wells in the field, and eight more rigs in operation.

Major interests in the area are held by the California Company, Southwest Gas, Carter, Feazel, Arkansas Fuel Oil Company, Lion Oil Company, Magnolia Petroleum Company, Phillips Petroleum Company, Hunt Oil Company, Louisiana Land Exploration Company, and C. H. Murphy, Jr.

Largest operator is the California Company, with four producers. Southwest Gas is next with two, while Hunt and Feazel have one apiece. Three of the tests California's and three others Southwest's. Feazel and Hunt again have one each.

California's M. H. Nobles No. 1, section 12-19-1W, was the field discovery. It was completed in 1944 with perforations opposite the Bodcaw at 9,137 feet. A little more than two years later, California brought in the T. L. James No. 1, 31-20-3W, as a producer from the Vaughan sand around 8,571 feet. Site of the Nobles is in the Hico sector, and the James in the Knowles. Of the eight producing wells, five have been completed in the Bodcaw and three in the Vaughn. Bodcaw production in the Knowles area was established in 1946 with Feazel's Cooper No. 1, section 25-20-4W. Thus far there has been no Vaughan discovery in Hico.

After a spirited dispute between operators and landowners, the conservation department effected a compromise adopting a 640-acre spacing pattern, but allowing two wells on each tract provided each was brought in from a different sand.

Based upon the present spacing rule, the eight producing wells have proved up more than 5,000 acres.

Average production is between 50 and 90 barrels of distillate and around 8,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

Soon to be placed in operation is Interstate Natural Gas Company's four-inch pipeline to transport distillate. The line will connect with the company's Sugar Creek collecting station in Claiborne parish, about nine and a half miles away.

At the present time, under order of the Conservation department, the field comprises 19 sections in range 3 and 11 sections in range 4, township 20; and 8 sections in range 3 and 12 sections in range 4, township 19—a total of 50 sections in the two townships.

La. Oil Production Passes Two-Billion

1947 Output Estimated At 166,619,000 Barrels; Gas Act Fate Clouded As Truman Suddenly Withdraws Nomination For FPC Post

Louisiana's accumulated production of oil has now passed the two-billion barrel mark, according to tentative figures in a biennial report being drafted by Joseph L. McHugh, commissioner of conservation.

The preliminary figures put the production of oil and condensate at approximately 2,007,225,000 barrels, indicating that the two-billion point was passed late last year.

Oil production in 1947, the report shows, totaled approximately 166,619,000 barrels, compared with 149, 768,000 barrels in 1946.

Total production of natural gas last year is estimated at about 838,000,000,000 cubic feet, compared with 818,000,000,000 in 1946. This would bring the accumulated total to around ten trillion feet.

FCC NOMINATION DROPPED

Proponents of changes in the 1938 Natural Gas Act suffered a decided setback last week when President Truman suddenly withdrew the nomination of Burton N. Behling as a member of the Federal Power Commission.

Apparent reason for the president's abrupt reversal was the strong possibility of widening an already serious breach in the FPC.

Amendment of the gas act has the active support of Chairman Nelson Lee Smith and Commissioner Harrington Wimberly. It is opposed by Commissioners Leland Olds and Claude L. Draper. Behling, who has expressed vigorous criticism of a number of FPC policies, is generally regarded as a protege of Smith and disposed to go along with the chairman in the current dispute.

Revisions of the gas act now under consideration by Congress include adoption of a new price formula for pipeline rates and exemption of much of the industry from the commission's jurisdiction.

Olds and Draper, on the other hand, are urging broadened rather than diminished authority for the FPC, including power to regulate the uses of gas.

PRODUCTION OFF AGAIN

The nation's crude oil production dropped again during the week ended March 20, the Oil and Gas Journal reported yesterday, with a daily average output of 5,262,405 barrels. This was a decline of 13,225 barrels from the previous week.

The Journal said weather conditions accounted for most of the losses in the two states with the largest declines: Kansas, down 27,950 barrels to 171,350, and Oklahoma, off 11,350 barrels to 395,750.

California set a new record for itself with an increase of 12,800 barrels to 946,700. Mississippi was up 6,800 barrels to 119,260, and Louisiana up 50 to 476,150.

OIL QUOTAS INCREASED

Crude oil export quotas for the first quarter of 1948 have been increased to 1,100,000 barrels. This will allow 300,000 more barrels to be shipped abroad than the limit set by the Commerce department on Feb. 20 when it imposed the first license controls in peacetime history.

The department said the Feb. 20 order caused "hardship" to many exporters and added that the developments showed the original quota of 800,000 barrels was "inadequate."

NEW GASOLINE PLANT

Stanolind Oil and Gas Company's proposed $80,000,000 hydrocarbon synthesis plant will be built near Garden City, Kansas, one of the two sites previously under consideration.

The company has 90-day options on two locations near Garden City, and will begin making tests of soil and water-supply.

The plant will have a capacity of 6,000 barrels of liquids daily, mostly gasoline, and 100,000,000 pounds of chemicals a year from processing 100,000,000 cubic feet of gas a day.

OIL REPORT SCHEDULED

The Senate Defense Investigating committee expects to report within a week on its oil and industrial mobilization investigations, according to Chairman Brewster.

The committee has completed its investigations, Brewster said, but has until the end of April to file reports with the Senate.

North Carolina has given the nation three native sons who became president. They are Andrew Jackson, James Polk and Andrew Johnson.

PROGRESS IN GAS SAVING REVIEWED

Conservation Officials Point To Achievements, But Declare Much Left To Do

Two high ranking state and federal conservation officials last week took a hard look at gas waste in Louisiana and came up with a major point of agreement: some progress but still a lot to do.

C. Girard avidson, of Lafayette, assistant secretary of the interior, declared Louisiana is making "real accomplishments" in its conservation program but said too much gas is still being wasted by flaring.

Texas and Louisiana, he said, are the only states where gas is still flared, and, he continued:

"These two states flare more gas in one day than the entire British Isles use. The amount of energy lost is more than all that provided by the TVA."

"Louisiana is moving ahead much more rapidly in conserving gas than Texas," he added.

"I realize there is a real economic problem involved. But our natural gas is an unreplaceable resource and we must find some way to end its waste."

While admitting that waste is a serious problem, Conservation Commissioner Joseph McHugh submitted figures to prove the state's achievements.

Flaring of gas in Louisiana oil fields has been cut about in half since 1941, he said.

He said there was an average of 220 million cubic feet of gas flared per day in 1947. This compares with 265 million per day in 1941.

This reduction is particularly significant, he said, because oil production has gone from 265,000 barrels per day in 1941 to 495,000 per day in December, 1947.

Higher oil production would normally mean greater flaring of gas, he pointed out.

Meanwhile, he continued, plans are under way to cut presently flared gas by about 75 million cubic feet per day during this year.

The reduction in flare gas, he said, has resulted from a sharp reduction in the gas-oil ratio put in effect several years ago, the construction of recycling and gasoline cracking plants, and construction of new pipe lines to transmit the gas to centers of commercial use.

McHugh also referred to plans by the Texas Company and the Gulf Refining company to save approximately 60,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily in south Louisiana oil fields.

Gulf, he said, will spend $4,500,000 on equipment to reinject into the earth gas produced incidentally to oil production in the Quarantine bay, Grand bay, and West bay fields.

The Texas Company is constructing a 15-mile pipeline from the Lake Salvador and Delta Farms fields to its gasoline plant at Lafitte.

VETERAN'S FAMILY LEAVE HOTEL SUITE

NEW YORK, March 27.—(AP)—Richard Cox moved his family back to its cold water flat today after giving up a suite in the Waldorf-Astoria because of a $5.21 contribution from a group of school children.

The 34-year old former navy man said when he moved his family into an $88.20 weekly suite at the Waldorf that the city would have to pay all but $40 a month or find him an apartment in a veterans' housing project.

Today after a two-week stay, Cox, his wife and their two little boys went back to their $16-a-month flat in Brooklyn—without the project apartment but with the bill at the Waldorf all paid up.

A San Antonio, Tex., oil man, Mike Jarman, had sent $100 to the hotel to be applied to Cox's bill. Rise Stevens, Metropolitan opera singer, offered a week's rent.

Bus boys and waiters at the hotel bought a lot of the breakfast for the family of the $63.50-a-week army civilian employe.

But when the school children of Brookline, Mass., collected $5.21 and sent it to Cox, it was too much.

"Broke his morale," said a hotel official. "It prompted him to leave the hotel."

When the Coxes left, the hotel man said, their account still showed a balance of between $7 and $8. The hotel tried to give it to Cox, but he wouldn't take it.

So the hotel is sending back $5.21 to the pupils of the Kathleen Dell school (1146 Beacon street) Brookline.

And Cox is back where he started, with nothing new but advice to state his case in writing to the commissioner of housing and building.

EXPECT SERVICES TO BUY MORE STEEL SOON

CLEVELAND, March 27.—(AP)—The armed services are likely to begin heavy purchases of steel by midsummer under a new armament program, the magazine Steel reported today.

Though there has been little new military buying to date, the magazine said, some "feeler" inquires for armor plate and special steels already have been received.

"Developments with regard to national defense are being closely watched," Steel said. "Heavy procurement programs of the armed services are likely for the next fiscal year, with production for military needs being stimulated before that period begins July 1."

SPECIAL RED CROSS MEET CALLED FOR 4 P. M. MONDAY

A special meeting of the Ouachita parish Red Cross executive board and Fund campaign chairmen have been called for 4 p. m. Monday.

R. M. Troy, president, said the meeting is prompted by the "sudden emergency in which the nation has found itself."

Pliny recommended the prevention and cure of coughing and sneezing by shifting a ring from a finger on the left hand to the middle finger of the right hand.

VISITS ARMISTICE SITE — Gen. Charles De Gaulle waves to crowds on an avenue in the Compiegne Forest as mounted Spahi troops stand at attention. Occasion marked De Gaulle's visit to French forest, site of signing of the armistice in 1918.

DOROTHY DIX

Old People

Many Young People Find It Difficult To Talk To Cultivated Elders

DEAR MISS DIX: Recently I attended a party given in honor of my young daughter. Most of the guests were young marrieds. A friend who was visiting me went with me. She is in her late fifties, beautifully groomed, beautiful manners, handsomely dressed. She is well known. In fact, she is a celebrity. But the young people, after being introduced, didn't bother to notice her at all.

Later I spoke to my daughter about it. She said: "Why, Mother, she is old! Who wants to be bored with an old woman? No one nowadays has any time for older people, so why bother? We have nothing in common. Just read any newspaper or magazine that says anything about older women and you will see what I mean."

DOROTHY DIX

Now here is my question: When these young people get old themselves, won't this propaganda which is being poured into them now, kick back and create a dreadful complex, making them feel unwanted, not admired and completely unnecessary?

E. K. R.

ANSWER: Naturally the bobby-soxer and the sophisticated woman of the world would bore each other to tears because they have nothing in common. The teen-agers idea of making themselves attractive is to be always on the go, jump around like a monkey on a stick, talk a jargon without sense or meaning or wit, and scream the loudest. Hence, their style is cramped when they are brought into contact with older people who are educated and cultivated and traveled and who have observed life in many places for many years.

YOUNGSTERS STRICKEN DUMB

Naturally, when these youngsters are stricken dumb when in the company of their cultivated elders, it is very disheartening to their parents, who feel that they have wasted much money and effort in trying to educate those who refuse to take an education. But fathers and mothers should not take this phase of their children's development too seriously. In a little while they will outgrow their uncouthness, for time and friction with other minds polish even the roughest diamond.

Your fear that these young people who are so bored with old people now will be punished by being unwanted and undesired when they are old, is unfounded. God's consolation prize to age is that old people always think that they know more than anybody else and that their opinions are always infallible, and that the young, especially, hang upon their words.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: My husband and I love each other very dearly, but we are always arguing and fighting over foolish little things—never over big, important things. But in the end we always kiss and make up. I have been on the point of leaving my husband many times, but I have stuck it out for the sole purpose of holding my home together for my two little girls.

What do you think of my situation?

FOREVER GRATEFUL

ANSWER: Dubious. Any marriage that depends upon the mood and temper of a husband and wife who are forever quarreling and making up is held together by a very flimsy string that may snap at any moment. You may think that a kiss blots out all the animosity that underlies a domestic brawl, but it doesn't. Long after you have forgotten the kiss the memory of the cruel things that you said to each other festers in your heart. In reality, there is no such thing as forgiving and forgetting. So if you can so easily make up after a fight, why have the fight? Why not live together in peace instead of always patching up a quarrel?

I think a woman who has small children and who is dependent on her husband for their support should endure a great deal of harsh treatment from her mate before she gets a divorce. She owes that much obligation to the helpless little creatures she has brought into the world.

DEAR MISS DIX: We are two identical twins, 16 years old, and we are both in love with the same man. This man leads us on. One day he acts like he loves one of us. The next day he declares he loves the other one. Neither of us feels she can drop him, yet our sisterly love continues. What shall we do?

SISTERS

ANSWER: You are so young you don't know what love is. You are not in love with the man; you are in love with love. The sooner you drop the illusion, the better for you. He bodes you no good.

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WHEREABOUTS OF REBEL GOLD SIFTED BY CENTENARY PROF

SHREVEPORT, La., March 27.—(AP)—Who hasn't wondered what happened to the gold and silver, not the currency, of the Confederacy.

Some light is cast, and convincingly, on the matter of Confederate gold and silver by Dr. A. M. Shaw of Centenary College in a story in the new "Southwest Review."

Dr. Shaw's piece, "My Dearest Friend," deals with a letter from Mrs. Jefferson Davis to Colonel William Preston Johnston, a friend of the president of the Confederacy, in which she mentions briefly "public money."

Dr. Shaw's story in the new quarterly magazine is built around the intimate and confidential letter written by Mrs. Davis a few months after the collapse of the Confederacy. The local college professor discovered it among Johnston's papers in 1940 while preparing a biography of the colonel.

The Johnston papers were owned by Mrs. Mason Barrett of Louisville, Ky., a granddaughter of the colonel, at the time Dr. Shaw saw them. They have been turned over to the Howard-Tilton Memorial Library of Tulane University at New Orleans, since then.

The letter was never printed before Dr. Shaw submitted it to the quarterly magazine.

The chief importance of Mrs. Davis' letter lies in the fact that it offers a clue to the question of what became of the money in the Confederate treasury.

It has been estimated that there was $2,000,000 in gold and silver held in safety for the Confederate government.

Mrs. Davis' letter, which she requested the colonel to destroy, intimates that it was parceled out among some obscure persons connected with the Confederacy.

OPERATORS SAY WORK MAY START

Union Promptly Squelches Rumors That Miners May Return To Work

WASHINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—Talk cropped up among some soft coal operators today that idle miners soon may be heading back to work, but a union leader in the field discounted it entirely.

President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers busied himself meanwhile consulting with lawyers on how to proceed in the face of the government's campaign to force an end to the 13-day walkout.

He has been given until Monday to say whether he will appear voluntarily before the presidential board of inquiry investigating the dispute over mine pensions.

Some operators guessed unofficially that Lewis might send the men back to work as a means of making it unnecessary for the government to go ahead with such emergency measures as an injunction.

John Busarello, president of the union district in the Pittsburgh area, said:

"From all I'm able to gather, the men are not going to go back to work until this pension thing is settled."

At Washington, the National Coal Association, trade organization of the bituminous industry, estimated that the idleness so far has cost miners twice as much, in lost wages, as the $32,000,000 now in the disputed fund.

Another industry source, Secretary Jesse V. Sullivan of the West Virginia Coal Association, estimated the idleness has cost the nation $500,000,000.

The board of inquiry in the dispute marked time today.

Chairman Sherman Minton, a Chicago federal appeals court judge, indicated the factfinding board hopes to end its hearings Monday to begin a speedy drafting job on its report to the president.

Over the week-end the board went ahead studying data already submitted by the coal operators. This was in support of their contention that pensions asked by Lewis are too high for the $32,000,000 miner welfare fund to bear.

BAND LEADER DORSEY MARRIES THIRD TIME

SANTA MONICA, Cal., March 27.—(AP)—Bandleader Tommy Dorsey and former dancer Jane New were married today in Atlanta, Ga., his mother, Mrs. Theresa Dorsey, reported.

She said she received a telephone call from her trombone-playing son. His manager, Arthur Michaud, also received a call from Atlanta and talked with both Dorsey and the bride, a former dancer at the Copacabana Club in New York.

It was the third marriage for the bandsman.

His second wife, Pat Dane, notified of the marriage, declared:

"It's a big shock. I've been talking to Tommy almost every night. He was supposed to fly out here Monday. I'm hurt he didn't let me in on the secret."

The newlyweds will honeymoon briefly on his yacht in Miami before Dorsey's band goes on tour April 1, Miachaud said.

Tommy's sister, Mary, added:

"No, we're not surprised. We just didn't know who it was going to be."

PLANE CREW SIGHTS SUB NEAR FRISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—(AP)—A transpacific plane crew reported today a submarine had been sighted about 60 miles southwest of San Francisco just after dawn.

A Navy spokesman said no U. S. submarines were in that area; that if the plane crew actually had seen a sub, "it was not one of ours."

Earlier, a navy source had suggested it might have been the U. S. S. Carp, a submarine on a trainng cruise. But the navy later determined the Carp was in Monterey Bay.

Curbs

Cities Service 39; Electric Bond and Share 10 7/8; Humble Oil 70 1/2; Niagara Hudson 8 1/8; United Gas 12.

MARKETS

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK, March 27.— (AP) — Stocks: Mixed; price changes small. Bonds: Narrow; some rails improve. Cotton: Closed.

CHICAGO—Wheat: Strong; expect government flour buying. Corn: Strong; aided by wheat upturns. Oats: Firm in sympathy with other grains. Soybeans: Firm; trade very light. Hogs: Nominally steady. Cattle: Nominally steady.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, March 27.—(AP)—Post-holiday indecision ruled in today's stock market.

While assorted favorites managed to keep on the advancing side, many leaders stumbled.

Dealings were relatively slow from the start and trends uneven near the close. Transfers for the two hours ran to around 400,000 shares against last Saturday's 9-year Saturday peak of 1,260,000.

Boardrooms were more or less deserted by customers who elected to extend the Good Friday recess over the week-end.

Bonds remained listless. Grain futures hardened.

(FINAL QUOTATIONS)

Air Reduction	24⅝
Allied Chemical & Dye	180
Allied Stores	27
Allis-Chalmers Manufacturers	36⅞
American Can	81⅞
American Car & Foundry	39¾
American & Foreign Power	2⅝
American Locomotive	23⅜
American Power & Light	8
American Radiator & Starter Service	13⅝
American Rolling Mill	33⅞
American Smelting & Refining	56⅜
American Sugar Refinery	38
American Tel & Tel	149⅜
American Tobacco B	57
American Water Works	7⅜
Anaconda Copper	34¾
Atchison T & S F	99½
Avco Manufacturer	5⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	14½
Baltimore & Ohio	11⅜
Barnsdall Oil	36½
Bendix Aviation	32¼
Best & Co.	23⅜
Bethlehem Steel	34
Boeing Airplane	27⅞
Borden Company	40⅜
Bucyrus-Erie	19
Budd Company	9½
Burroughs Adding Machine	14⅛
Caulmet & Hecla	7½
Canadian Pacific	10⅜
Case J I	39¼
Celanese Corporation	35¼
Celotex Corporation	25½
Cent Aguirre	17⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio	41¼
Chrysler Corporation	59
Columbia Gas & Electric	11⅞
Commercial Solvents	23¾
Commonwealth & Southern	2½
Consolidated Copper Mines	5⅞
Continental Can	34½
ontinental Motors	7¼
Continental Oil Delaware	54
Corn Prducts	66½
Crane Company	32
Curtiss-Wright	6¼
Curtiss-Wright A	23½
Deere & Company	39⅜
Douglas Aircraft	62¾
Du Pont de Nemours	172⅜
Eastman Kodak	42½
Electric Auto Lite	49⅜
Electric Boat	18⅜
Electric Power & Light	17½
Erie Railroad	10⅞
Firestone Tire & Rubber	40
General Electric	35⅞
General Foods	36¼
General Motors	53⅜
Gillette Safety Razor	32⅞
Goodrich B F	53½
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	41¼
Great Northern Railway pfd	40¼
Greyhound Corporation	11½
Gulf Mobile & Ohio	17
Gulf Oil	62¾
Gulf States Utilities	15⅜
Hudson Motor	16¾
Illinois Central	30⅞
Inspirational Consolidated Copper	18
International Harvester	87⅛
International Nickel Can	27¾
International Tel & Tel	13
Johns-Manville	38⅞
Kansas City Southern	28⅞
Kennecott opper	50¾
Kroger Grocery	43
Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	51
Lion Oil	33
Lockheed Aicraft	19¾
Loews Incorporated	17¼
Long Bell Lumber A	24
Lorillard P	18½
Louisville & Nashville	43
Masonite Corporation	52
Mathieson Alkali	31
McClelland Stores	20¼
Mengel Company	16½
Montgomery Ward	53⅛
Nash-Kelvinator	15½
National Biscuit	28
National Can	8½
National Dairy Products	26⅞
National Distillers	20½
National Power & Light	3⅞
National Supply	22⅜
Nehi Corporation	13⅞
New York entral Railroad	14
North American Company	15⅝
Northern Pacific	19¾
Otis Elevator	29
Packard Motor	4½
Pan-American Airways	9¾
Paramount Pictures	21½
Penney J C	39
Pennsylvania Railroad	18⅛
Pepsi-Cola	16½
Phillips Petroleum	62¼
Pressed Steel Car	9⅜
Procter & Gamble	64½
Pure Oil	30⅛
Radio Corporation	9⅞
Remington Rand	13½
Reo Motors	26
Republic Steel	25¾
Reynolds Tobacco B	38
Schenley Distillers	29⅜
Sears Roebuck	34⅞
Shell Union Oil	23⅝
Simmons Company	30¾
Sinclair Oil	17⅞
Socony-Vacuum	16½
Southern Pacific	50⅛
Southern Railway	38¾
Sperry Corporation	26⅞
Standard Brands	25½
Standard Oil California	61½
Standard Oil Indiana	40⅛
Standard Oil New Jersey	74½
Stone & Webster	12¾
Studebaker Corporation	18¼
Sun Oil	52¾
Swift & Company	32
Texas Company	56
Texas Pacific C & O	56⅛
Tide Water O l A	21⅞
Timken-Detroit Axle	18⅞
Union Carbide	101¾
Union Oil California	25¾
United Air Lines	18
United Aircraft	28
United Corporation	2¾
United Fruit	52⅜
United Gas Imperial	21¼
United States Rubber	41¾
United States Steel	72½
Vanadium Corporation	17
Warner Brothers Pictures	11⅞
Wesson Oil & Snowdrift	42¼
Western Union Telegraph	21
Westinghouse Air Brake	37¼
Westinghouse Electric	28¾
Woolworth F W	45¼

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, March 27.—(AP)—A sharp advance in wheat carried the May contract up more than 6 cents at one time on the board of trade today.

Wheat closed 4 to 5 3/4 higher, May $2.47-$2.46, corn was 1 3/4 to 4 cents higher, May $2.19 3/4-$2.20 1/4, oats were 1 to 1 7/8 higher, May $1.10 7/8-$1.11, and soybeans were 3 cents higher, May $3.56.

Wheat close: May 2.47-46; July 2.31 3/4-32 1/4; Sept. 2.29 1/2-30; Dec. 2.29-29 1/4.

Corn close: May 2.19 3/4-20 1/4; July 2.09-09 3/4; Sept. 1.93-93 1/4; Dec. 1.66 1/2.

Oats close: May 1.10 7/8-11; July .91 7/8-.92; Sept. .85 1/4-3/8; Dec. .84 1/8-1/4.

Soybeans close: May 3.56; July 3.47.

Lard close: May 22.20; July 22.32; Sept. 22.50; Oct. 22.40.

Ora Extended North, South; Auger Test Slated Tuesday

Delhi Edge Test Abandoned; California Co. Building Roads To Maxey No. 2

Ora field was lengthened north and south last week as Union parish operators in a sudden upsurge of activity completed a total of seven new producers.

About a mile north of the field, Shell Oil Company's Frost Lumber Industries No. 1, section 12-22-1W, is being readied for preliminary tests. The company has described it as a "likely producer."

Approximately a mile and a half further north, C. M. Bagley and Shell are preparing to test the Auger No. 1, section 36-22-1W, here Tuesday. The operators last week moved in a jackknife rig after setting 5 7/8-inch production string to approximately 2,200 feet. Although the project is "tight," the well is reported to have penetrated 14 feet of saturated sand.

Southwest of the field, Sam Sklar scored his ninth success on his Jack S. Dykes lease in section 9-21-1W. The latest completion, the Dykes No. 9, was tested at a pumping output of 120 barrels a day. South of the No. 9, Sklar has staked location for the Dykes No. 10 and No. 11. The tract has sufficient room for 23 locations, on 20 of which Sklar expects to bring in producers.

Also in the southwest extension, Crown Central Production Corporation brought in its maiden venture, the Kate M. Hicks No. 1, and Sellars-Ewing completed their Price No. 7. The Hicks, section 3-21-1W, was gauged at pumping 82 barrels daily, and the Price, section 4-21-1W, 49 barrels a day.

Shell's Frost Lumber Industries D-7, section 34-22-1W, was completed at a pumping potential of 63 barrels a day.

Of the development's three casualties during the week, two were in the southwest extension and one northwest of the discovery area. In section 20-21-1W, J. F. Stone abandoned the O. B. Lee No. 1 at 2,501 feet, and in section 35-22-1W, Jim McMurrey plugged the Alton Odom No. 1. It was McMurrey's second failure within a week. Previously he abandoned the W. M. Pollock No. 1 in section 20-21-1W. In section 21-22-1W, Marine Oil Company closed up the W. A. Farrar No. 1 at 2,300 feet.

Other completions during the week were Shell's Frost Lumber D-4, 26-22-1W, rated at pumping 52 barrels a day; Shell's Tucker Unit No. 1, 23-22-1W, gauged at a pumping output of 63 barrels a day; and Marine Oil Company's Monzingo-Rivers No. 6, section 23-22-1W, rated at 36 barrels a day pumping.

Elsewhere in the district, Murphy-Sun Oil Company abandoned its edge test in the West Delhi sector at 3,330 feet. Site of the project, the McKay Frazier No. 1 was in section 15-17-10E of Madison parish.

In the Franklin parish South Delhi sector, Bryant and Caraway are preparing to perforate from 3,570-50 feet in the Merritt No. 1, section 11-16-8E, a well which may further extend production in the fast-growing area.

The California Company is beginning construction of roads to its new Ouachita parish venture, the Walter Maxey No. 2, section 32-18-1E, about 14 miles west of Monroe . . . J. K. Wadley of Texarkana is reported planning a wildcat test in section 2 or 3 of township 16-6E, along the eastern flank of the old Richland gas field in Richland parish . . . A new venture in Jackson parish is Delta Drilling Company's Davis Lumber Company No. 1, section 26-16-3W, a proposed 8,000-foot or Travis Peak wildcat test four miles east and one mile south of Quitman.

AREA OIL OUTPUT HIKED 874 BBLS.

Ora Offsets Previous Decrease; State Production Total Set At 516,755

Recovery from production difficulties plus new completions has enabled Union parish's Ora field to gain an April allowable increase of 403 barrels a day, more than offsetting its decrease this month.

The April allowable for the Monroe district as a whole has been set by the state conservation department at a gross total of 85,051 barrels a day—compared with 84,177 barrels in March.

Only decline is in the Delhi area—down 204 barrels to 23,065. Tullos-Urania remains unchanged, while Big Creek, South Big Creek, Lake St. John, LaSalle, Holly Ridge all show slight rises ranging from seven to 165 barrels a day.

A newcomer to the state production schedule is the South Delhi area in the northeast part of Franklin parish where American Liberty Oil Company has brought in five wells this year. The area has been assigned an allowable of 654 barrels during April.

The new allowables are:

	April	March
Ora	9,916	9,513
Big Creek	5,282	5,135
South Big Creek	575	561
Delhi	23,065	23,269
Lake St. John	21,740	21,691
Holly Ridge	3,044	3,037
LaSalle	18,875	18,710
Manifest	0	0
Tullos-Urania	1,900	1,900
South Delhi	654	000
	85,051	84,177

The increase for north Louisiana fields is 1,185 barrels a day or an aggregate allowable of 129,235 barrels during April, compared with 128,050 in March. Practically all of the gain is accounted for by Ora and by the Haynesville field in Claiborne parish—up 900 barrels 10,713.

The statewide increase is a little under 3,000 barrels—516,755 compared with 513,765. The figure for April a year ago was 452,811.

In South Louisiana, the New Orleans district dropped 543 barrels to 110,301, but Houma, Lake Charles and Lafayette all gained substantially.

Largest increase was in the Lafayette area, up 1,470 barrels to 133,281.

The state allowables by districts are:

North Louisiana:

	April	March
Monroe	85,051	84,177
Shreveport	44,184	43,873
	129,235	128,050

South Louisiana:

Lafayette	133,281	131,791
New Orleans	110,301	110,844
Houma	75,938	75,282
Lake Charles	68,000	67,513
	387,520	385,715

Grand totals:

State	516,755	513,765
North Louisiana	129,235	128,050
South Louisiana	387,520	385,715

2 Tests Promise Major Spur For Hico-Knowles

Lincoln Oil Development Booms As Feazel And California Company Prepare To Complete Two Assured Distillate Producers

Ranking area in northeast Louisiana oil operations last week was the potentially rich Hico-Knowles area west of Duback in Lincoln parish where two tests indicate the virtually certain prospect of large-scale expansion.

Approximately three miles west of Dubach, W. C. Feazel and Southwest Gas Producing Company's C. C. Barham No. 1, 21-20-3W, was reported flowing gas and condensate into burning pits. Extract perforations have not been given, but the test is said to be an upper sand in the Bodcaw somewhere near 8,458 feet.

Also an assured producer is the California Company's H. L. Nobles Unit B-32 No. 1, section 13-19-4W. Like the Feazel-Southwest project, the Nobles has flowed both gas and distillate, and is being readied for possible dual production.

Considerable interest is centering also on the Carter Oil Company's wildcat approximately 12 miles south of Hico-Knowles. The Carter test, the Marvin Mathews No. 1 is in section 22-18-7W, one mile east of Simsboro. The company is preparing to core at 9,197 feet in hard sand. Although no commercial showings have been encountered thus far, drilling will be continued to the contract depth of 10,000 feet.

Development of the Hico-Knowles area received two major stimuli during the past few months. One was the agreement of Texas Eastern Transmission company to provide an outlet for 35,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily. More recently, Southwest Gas Producing Company and the California Company announced plans for construction of two gasoline extraction plants each capable of processing 100,000,000 cubic feet of gas a day.

Production in the sector was established in 1944, but development was largely in abeyance until the Texas Eastern agreement last November. There are now eight producing wells in the field, and eight more rigs in operation.

Major interests in the area are held by the California Company, Southwest Gas, Carter, Feazel, Arkansas Fuel Oil Company, Lion Oil Company, Magnolia Petroleum Company, Phillips Petroleum Company, Hunt Oil Company, Louisiana Land Exploration Company, and C. H. Murphy, Jr.

Largest operator is the California Company, with four producers. Southwest Gas is next with two, while Hunt and Feazel have one apiece. Three of the tests California's and three others Southwest's. Feazel and Hunt again have one each.

California's M. H. Nobles No. 1, section 12-19-1W, was the field discovery. It was completed in 1944 with perforations opposite the Bodcaw at 9,137 feet. A little more than two years later, California brought in the T. L. James No. 1, 31-20-3W, as a producer from the Vaughan sand around 8,571 feet. Site of the Nobles is in the Hico sector, and the James in the Knowles. Of the eight producing wells, five have been completed in the Bodcaw and three in the Vaughn. Bodcaw production in the Knowles area was established in 1946 with Feazel's Cooper No. 1, section 25-20-4W. Thus far there has been no Vaughan discovery in Hico.

After a spirited dispute between operators and landowners, the conservation department effected a compromise adopting a 640-acre spacing pattern, but allowing two wells on each tract provided each was brought in from a different sand.

Based upon the present spacing rule, the eight producing wells have proved up more than 5,000 acres.

Average production is between 50 and 90 barrels of distillate and around 8,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

Soon to be placed in operation is Interstate Natural Gas Company's four-inch pipeline to transport distillate. The line will connect with the company's Sugar Creek collecting station in Claiborne parish, about nine and a half miles away.

At the present time, under order of the Conservation department, the field comprises 19 sections in range 3 and 11 sections in range 4, township 20; and 8 sections in range 3 and 12 sections in range 4, township 19—a total of 50 sections in the two townships.

La. Oil Production Passes Two-Billion

1947 Output Estimated At 166,619,000 Barrels; Gas Act Fate Clouded As Truman Suddenly Withdraws Nomination For FPC Post

Louisiana's accumulated production of oil has now passed the two-billion barrel mark, according to tentative figures in a biennial report being drafted by Joseph L. McHugh, commissioner of conservation.

The preliminary figures put the production of oil and condensate at approximately 2,007,225,000 barrels, indicating that the two-billion point was passed late last year.

Oil production in 1947, the report shows, totaled approximately 166,619,000 barrels, compared with 149, 768,000 barrels in 1946.

Total production of natural gas last year is estimated at about 838,000,000,000 cubic feet, compared with 818,000,000,000 in 1946. This would bring the accumulated total to around ten trillion feet.

FCC NOMINATION DROPPED

Proponents of changes in the 1938 Natural Gas Act suffered a decided setback last week when President Truman suddenly withdrew the nomination of Burton N. Behling as a member of the Federal Power Commission.

Apparent reason for the president's abrupt reversal was the strong possibility of widening an already serious breach in the FPC.

Amendment of the gas act has the active support of Chairman Nelson Lee Smith and Commissioner Harrington Wimberly. It is opposed by Commissioners Leland Olds and Claude L. Draper. Behling, who has expressed vigorous criticism of a number of FPC policies, is generally regarded as a protege of Smith and disposed to go along with the chairman in the current dispute.

Revisions of the gas act now under consideration by Congress include adoption of a new price formula for pipeline rates and exemption of much of the industry from the commission's jurisdiction.

Olds and Draper, on the other hand, are urging broadened rather than diminished authority for the FPC, including power to regulate the uses of gas.

PRODUCTION OFF AGAIN

The nation's crude oil production dropped again during the week ended March 20, the Oil and Gas Journal reported yesterday, with a daily average output of 5,262,405 barrels. This was a decline of 13,225 barrels from the previous week.

The Journal said weather conditions accounted for most of the losses in the two states with the largest declines: Kansas, down 27,950 barrels to 171,350, and Oklahoma, off 11,350 barrels to 395,750.

California set a new record for itself with an increase of 12,800 barrels to 946,700. Mississippi was up 6,800 barrels to 119,260, and Louisiana up 50 to 476,150.

OIL QUOTAS INCREASED

Crude oil export quotas for the first quarter of 1948 have been increased to 1,100,000 barrels. This will allow 300,000 more barrels to be shipped abroad than the limit set by the Commerce department on Feb. 20 when it imposed the first license controls in peacetime history.

The department said the Feb. 20 order caused "hardship" to many exporters and added that the developments showed the original quota of 800,000 barrels was "inadequate."

NEW GASOLINE PLANT

Stanolind Oil and Gas Company's proposed $80,000,000 hydrocarbon synthesis plant will be built near Garden City, Kansas, one of the two sites previously under consideration.

The company has 90-day options on two locations near Garden City, and will begin making tests of soil and water-supply.

The plant will have a capacity of 6,000 barrels of liquids daily, mostly gasoline, and 100,000,000 pounds of chemicals a year from processing 100,000,000 cubic feet of gas a day.

OIL REPORT SCHEDULED

The Senate Defense Investigating committee expects to report within a week on its oil and industrial mobilization investigations, according to Chairman Brewster.

The committee has completed its investigations, Brewster said, but has until the end of April to file reports with the Senate.

North Carolina has given the nation three native sons who became president. They are Andrew Jackson, James Polk and Andrew Johnson.

PROGRESS IN GAS SAVING REVIEWED

Conservation Officials Point To Achievements, But Declare Much Left To Do

Two high ranking state and federal conservation officials last week took a hard look at gas waste in Louisiana and came up with a major point of agreement: some progress but still a lot to do.

C. Girard avidson, of Lafayette, assistant secretary of the interior, declared Louisiana is making "real accomplishments" in its conservation program but said too much gas is still being wasted by flaring.

Texas and Louisiana, he said, are the only states where gas is still flared, and, he continued:

"These two states flare more gas in one day than the entire British Isles use. The amount of energy lost is more than all that provided by the TVA."

"Louisiana is moving ahead much more rapidly in conserving gas than Texas," he added.

"I realize there is a real economic problem involved. But our natural gas is an unreplaceable resource and we must find some way to end its waste."

While admitting that waste is a serious problem, Conservation Commissioner Joseph McHugh submitted figures to prove the state's achievements.

Flaring of gas in Louisiana oil fields has been cut about in half since 1941, he said.

He said there was an average of 220 million cubic feet of gas flared per day in 1947. This compares with 265 million per day in 1941.

This reduction is particularly significant, he said, because oil production has gone from 265,000 barrels per day in 1941 to 495,000 per day in December, 1947.

Higher oil production would normally mean greater flaring of gas, he pointed out.

Meanwhile, he continued, plans are under way to cut presently flared gas by about 75 million cubic feet per day during this year.

The reduction in flare gas, he said, has resulted from a sharp reduction in the gas-oil ratio put in effect several years ago, the construction of recycling and gasoline cracking plants, and construction of new pipe lines to transmit the gas to centers of commercial use.

McHugh also referred to plans by the Texas Company and the Gulf Refining company to save approximately 60,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily in south Louisiana oil fields.

Gulf, he said, will spend $4,500,000 on equipment to reinject into the earth gas produced incidentally to oil production in the Quarantine bay, Grand bay, and West bay fields.

The Texas Company is constructing a 15-mile pipeline from the Lake Salvador and Delta Farms fields to its gasoline plant at Lafitte.

VETERAN'S FAMILY LEAVE HOTEL SUITE

NEW YORK, March 27.—(AP)—Richard Cox moved his family back to its cold water flat today after giving up a suite in the Waldorf-Astoria because of a $5.21 contribution from a group of school children.

The 34-year old former navy man said when he moved his family into an $88.20 weekly suite at the Waldorf that the city would have to pay all but $40 a month or find him an apartment in a veterans' housing project.

Today after a two-week stay, Cox, his wife and their two little boys went back to their $16-a-month flat in Brooklyn—without the project apartment but with the bill at the Waldorf all paid up.

A San Antonio, Tex., oil man, Mike Jarman, had sent $100 to the hotel to be applied to Cox's bill. Rise Stevens, Metropolitan opera singer, offered a week's rent.

Bus boys and waiters at the hotel bought a lot of the breakfast for the family of the $63.50-a-week army civilian employe.

But when the school children of Brookline, Mass., collected $5.21 and sent it to Cox, it was too much.

"Broke his morale," said a hotel official. "It prompted him to leave the hotel."

When the Coxes left, the hotel man said, their account still showed a balance of between $7 and $8. The hotel tried to give it to Cox, but he wouldn't take it.

So the hotel is sending back $5.21 to the pupils of the Kathleen Dell school (1146 Beacon street) Brookline.

And Cox is back where he started, with nothing new but advice to state his case in writing to the commissioner of housing and building.

EXPECT SERVICES TO BUY MORE STEEL SOON

CLEVELAND, March 27.—(AP)—The armed services are likely to begin heavy purchases of steel by midsummer under a new armament program, the magazine Steel reported today.

Though there has been little new military buying to date, the magazine said, some "feeler" inquires for armor plate and special steels already have been received.

"Developments with regard to national defense are being closely watched," Steel said. "Heavy procurement programs of the armed services are likely for the next fiscal year, with production for military needs being stimulated before that period begins July 1."

SPECIAL RED CROSS MEET CALLED FOR 4 P. M. MONDAY

A special meeting of the Ouachita parish Red Cross executive board and Fund campaign chairmen have been called for 4 p. m. Monday.

R. M. Troy, president, said the meeting is prompted by the "sudden emergency in which the nation has found itself."

Pliny recommended the prevention and cure of coughing and sneezing by shifting a ring from a finger on the left hand to the middle finger of the right hand.

VISITS ARMISTICE SITE— Gen. Charles De Gaulle waves to crowds on an avenue in the Compiegne Forest as mounted Spahi troops stand at attention. Occasion marked De Gaulle's visit to French forest, site of signing of the armistice in 1918

DOROTHY DIX

Old People

Many Young People Find It Difficult To Talk To Cultivated Elders

DEAR MISS DIX: Recently I attended a party given in honor of my young daughter. Most of the guests were young marrieds. A friend who was visiting me went with me. She is in her late fifties, beautifully groomed, beautiful manners, handsomely dressed. She is well known. In fact, she is a celebrity. But the young people, after being introduced, didn't bother to notice her at all.

Later I spoke to my daughter about it. She said: "Why, Mother, she is old! Who wants to be bored with an old woman? No one nowadays has any time for older people, so why bother? We have nothing in common. Just read any newspaper or magazine that says anything about older women and you will see what I mean."

DOROTHY DIX

Now here is my question: When these young people get old themselves, won't this propaganda which is being poured into them now, kick back and create a dreadful complex, making them feel unwanted, not admired and completely unnecessary?

E. K. R.

ANSWER: Naturally the bobby-soxer and the sophisticated woman of the world would bore each other to tears because they have nothing in common. The teen-agers idea of making themselves attractive is to be always on the go, jump around like a monkey on a stick, talk a jargon without sense or meaning or wit, and scream the loudest. Hence, their style is cramped when they are brought into contact with older people who are educated and cultivated and traveled and who have observed life in many places for many years.

YOUNGSTERS STRICKEN DUMB

Naturally, when these youngsters are stricken dumb when in the company of their cultivated elders, it is very disheartening to their parents, who feel that they have wasted much money and effort in trying to educate those who refuse to take an education. But fathers and mothers should not take this phase of their children's development too seriously. In a little while they will outgrow their uncouthness, for time and friction with other minds polish even the roughest diamond.

Your fear that these young people who are so bored with old people now will be punished by being unwanted and undesired when they are old, is unfounded. God's consolation prize to age is that old people always think that they know more than anybody else and that their opinions are always infallible, and that the young, especially, hang upon their words.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: My husband and I love each other very dearly, but we are always arguing and fighting over foolish little things—never over big, important things. But in the end we always kiss and make up. I have been on the point of leaving my husband many times, but I have stuck it out for the sole purpose of holding my home together for my two little girls.

What do you think of my situation?

FOREVER GRATEFUL

ANSWER: Dubious. Any marriage that depends upon the mood and temper of a husband and wife who are forever quarreling and making up is held together by a very flimsy string that may snap at any moment. You may think that a kiss blots out all the animosity that underlies a domestic brawl, but it doesn't. Long after you have forgotten the kiss the memory of the cruel things that you said to each other festers in your heart. In reality, there is no such thing as forgiving and forgetting. So if you can so easily make up after a fight, why have the fight? Why not live together in peace instead of always patching up a quarrel?

I think a woman who has small children and who is dependent on her husband for their support should endure a great deal of harsh treatment from her mate before she gets a divorce. She owes that much obligation to the helpless little creatures she has brought into the world.

DEAR MISS DIX: We are two identical twins, 16 years old, and we are both in love with the same man. This man leads us on. One day he acts like he loves one of us. The next day he declares he loves the other one. Neither of us feels she can drop him, yet our sisterly love continues. What shall we do?

SISTERS

ANSWER: You are so young you don't know what love is. You are not in love with the man; you are in love with love. The sooner you drop the illusion, the better for you. He bodes you no good.

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WHEREABOUTS OF REBEL GOLD SIFTED BY CENTENARY PROF

SHREVEPORT, La., March 27.—(AP)—Who hasn't wondered what happened to the gold and silver, not the currency, of the Confederacy.

Some light is cast, and convincingly, on the matter of Confederate gold and silver by Dr. A. M. Shaw of Centenary College in a story in the new "Southwest Review."

Dr. Shaw's piece, "My Dearest Friend," deals with a letter from Mrs. Jefferson Davis to Colonel William Preston Johnston, a friend of the president of the Confederacy, in which she mentions briefly "public money."

Dr. Shaw's story in the new quarterly magazine is built around the intimate and confidential letter written by Mrs. Davis a few months after the collapse of the Confederacy. The local college professor discovered it among Johnston's papers in 1940 while preparing a biography of the colonel.

The Johnston papers were owned by Mrs. Mason Barrett of Louisville, Ky., a granddaughter of the colonel, at the time Dr. Shaw saw them. They have been turned over to the Howard-Tilton Memorial Library of Tulane University at New Orleans, since then.

The letter was never printed before Dr. Shaw submitted it to the quarterly magazine.

The chief importance of Mrs. Davis' letter lies in the fact that it offers a clue to the question of what became of the money in the Confederate treasury.

It has been estimated that there was $2,000,000 in gold and silver held in safety for the Confederate government.

Mrs. Davis' letter, which she requested the colonel to destroy, intimates that it was parceled out among some obscure persons connected with the Confederacy.

OPERATORS SAY WORK MAY START

Union Promptly Squelches Rumors That Miners May Return To Work

WASHINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—Talk cropped up among some soft coal operators today that idle miners soon may be heading back to work, but a union leader in the field discounted it entirely.

President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers busied himself meanwhile consulting with lawyers on how to proceed in the face of the government's campaign to force an end to the 13-day walkout.

He has been given until Monday to say whether he will appear voluntarily before the presidential board of inquiry investigating the dispute over mine pensions.

Some operators guessed unofficially that Lewis might send the men back to work as a means of making it unnecessary for the government to go ahead with such emergency measures as an injunction.

John Busarello, president of the union district in the Pittsburgh area, said:

"From all I'm able to gather, the men are not going to go back to work until this pension thing is settled."

At Washington, the National Coal Association, trade organization of the bituminous industry, estimated that the idleness so far has cost miners twice as much, in lost wages, as the $32,000,000 now in the disputed fund.

Another industry source, Secretary Jesse V. Sullivan of the West Virginia Coal Association, estimated the idleness has cost the nation $500,000,000.

The board of inquiry in the dispute marked time today.

Chairman Sherman Minton, a Chicago federal appeals court judge, indicated the factfinding board hopes to end its hearings Monday to begin a speedy drafting job on its report to the president.

Over the week-end the board went ahead studying data already submitted by the coal operators. This was in support of their contention that pensions asked by Lewis are too high for the $32,000,000 miner welfare fund to bear.

BAND LEADER DORSEY MARRIES THIRD TIME

SANTA MONICA, Cal., March 27.—(AP)—Bandleader Tommy Dorsey and former dancer Jane New were married today in Atlanta, Ga., his mother, Mrs. Theresa Dorsey, reported.

She said she received a telephone call from her trombone-playing son. His manager, Arthur Michaud, also received a call from Atlanta and talked with both Dorsey and the bride, a former dancer at the Copacabana Club in New York.

It was the third marriage for the bandsman.

His second wife, Pat Dane, notified of the marriage, declared:

"It's a big shock. I've been talking to Tommy almost every night. He was supposed to fly out here Monday. I'm hurt he didn't let me in on the secret."

The newlyweds will honeymoon briefly on his yacht in Miami before Dorsey's band goes on tour April 1, Miachaud said.

Tommy's sister, Mary, added:

"No, we're not surprised. We just didn't know who it was going to be."

PLANE CREW SIGHTS SUB NEAR FRISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—(AP)—A transpacific plane crew reported today a submarine had been sighted about 60 miles southwest of San Francisco just after dawn.

A Navy spokesman said no U. S. submarines were in that area; that if the plane crew actually had seen a sub, "it was not one of ours."

Earlier, a navy source had suggested it might have been the U. S. S. Carp, a submarine on a traiinng cruise. But the navy later determined the Carp was in Monterey Bay.

Curbs

Cities Service 33; Electric Bond and Share 10 7/8; Humble Oil 70 1/2; Niagara Hudson 8 1/8; United Gas 13.

MARKETS

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK, March 27.— (AP) — Stocks: Mixed; price changes small. Bonds: Narrow; some rails improve. Cotton: Closed.

CHICAGO—Wheat: Strong; expect government flour buying. Corn: Strong; aided by wheat upturns. Oats: Firm in sympathy with other grains. Soybeans: Firm; trade very light. Hogs: Nominally steady. Cattle: Nominally steady.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, March 27.—(AP)—Post-holiday indecision ruled in today's stock market.

While assorted favorites managed to keep on the advancing side, many leaders stumbled.

Dealings were relatively slow from the start and trends uneven near the close. Transfers for the two hours ran to around 400,000 shares against last Saturday's 9-year Saturday peak of 1,260,000.

Boardrooms were more or less deserted by customers who elected to extend the Good Friday recess over the week-end.

Bonds remained listless. Grain futures hardened.

(FINAL QUOTATIONS)

Air Reduction	24⅝
Allied Chemical & Dye	180
Allied Stores	27
Allis-Chalmers Manufacturers	36⅞
American Can	81⅞
American Car & Foundry	33¾
American & Foreign Power	2⅝
American Locomotive	23⅜
American Power & Light	8
American Radiator & Starter Service	13⅜
American Rolling Mill	28⅞
American Smelting & Refining	56⅜
American Sugar Refinery	38
American Tel & Tel	149⅞
American Tobacco B	57
American Water Works	7⅜
Anaconda Copper	34¾
Atchison T & S F	99½
Avco Manufacturer	5⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	14½
Baltimore & Ohio	11⅜
Barnsdall Oil	36½
Bendix Aviation	32⅛
Best & Co.	23⅜
Bethlehem Steel	34
Boeing Airplane	27⅞
Borden Company	40⅜
Bucyrus-Erie	19
Budd Company	9½
Burroughs Adding Machine	14⅛
Caulmet & Hecla	7½
Canadian Pacific	10⅜
Case J I	39⅞
Celanese Corporation	25⅛
Celotex Corporation	25½
Cent Aguirre	17⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio	41¼
Chrysler Corporation	59
Columbia Gas & Electric	11⅞
Commercial Solvents	23¾
Commonwealth & Southern	2½
Consolidated Copper Mines	5⅞
Continental Can	34⅛
ontinental Motors	7⅛
Continental Oil Delaware	54
Corn Products	66½
Crane Company	32
Curtiss-Wright	6⅛
Curtiss-Wright A	23½
Deere & Company	39⅜
Douglas Aircraft	62¾
Du Pont de Nemours	172⅜
Eastman Kodak	42½
Electric Auto Lite	49⅜
Electric Boat	15⅜
Electric Power & Light	17½
Erie Railroad	10⅜
Firestone Tire & Rubber	49
General Electric	35⅛
General Foods	36¼
General Motors	53⅜
Gillette Safety Razor	32⅞
Goodrich B F	53½
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	41¼
Great Northern Railway pfd	40¼
Greyhound Corporation	11½
Gulf Mobile & Ohio	17
Gulf Oil	62¾
Gulf States Utilities	15⅝
Hudson Motor	16⅜
Illinois Central	30¼
Inspirational Consolidated Copper	3⅜
International Harvester	87⅛
International Nickel Can	27¾
International Tel & Tel	13
Johns-Manville	38⅞
Kansas City Southern	28⅞
Kennecott opper	50¾
Kroger Grocery	43
Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	51
Lion Oil	35
Lockheed Aicraft	19⅜
Loews Incorporated	17¼
Long Bell Lumber A	24
Lorillard P	18½
Louisville & Nashville	43
Masonite Corporation	52
Mathieson Alkali	31
McClelland Stores	20¼
Mengel Company	16½
Montgomery Ward	53⅛
Nash-Kelvinator	18½
National Biscuit	28
National Can	8½
National Dairy Products	26⅞
National Distillers	20½
National Power & Light	3¼
National Supply	22⅜
Nehi Corporation	15⅞
New York entral Railroad	14
North American Company	15⅜
Northern Pacific	19¼
Otis Elevator	29
Packard Motor	4½
Pan-American Airways	9¾
Paramount Pictures	21½
Penney J C	39
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Union Oil California	25⅞
United Air Lines	28
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United Corporation	5⅜
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"We have no way but Christ, no creed but Christ, no church but His to offer, no doctrine but His, and no book of discipline but the New Testament." "This is our effort to restore the spiritual walls to their original apostolic level," concluded the speaker.

Mr. Johnson's sermon Sunday morning at 10:50 will be "Christ's Death a Necessity" and Sunday evening at 7:30, concluding the series of meetings, will be "Christ's Universal Invitation."

In 1832, the "John Bull," a 10-ton locomotive began to haul trains between Camden and Amboy, New Jersey, over the first all-metal railroad tracks.

The Goebbels Diaries

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INSTALMENT EIGHTEEN

(Continued Allied air bombings of Berlin found Goebbels desperate but still defiant in his diary entries of November 27, 1943 to December 9, 1943, the last found among his documents. He waxes poetic and is furious over the British support of Stalin's fantastic demands for reparations.)

November 27, 1943

Last night it was Frankfurt's turn to suffer fairly heavy attacks. The damage is not too bad, except for cultural monuments. Thus, for instance, the Goethe House has been hit. One's feelings are already so blunted by air raids that this hardly seems like sacrilege. There's nothing one can do about it anyway! Air raids hang over us like fate.

As regards our situation in the East, the enemy credits us with more than we really have. Our difficulties there are enormous, chiefly because of the weather. Our attack did not really get under way. It got stuck, as it were, in the mud. We had expected so much of it, and so little came of it. We are having a streak of bad luck this year that is simply unique. All one can do is to hope that it may before long change over into an equally enduring streak of good luck.

During the last ten days, thank God, our casualties have not been too high. They totaled 6,473 killed in action; 26,000 wounded; 3,800 missing. That is bearable. On the other hand sickness has increased, and above all the troops have reached a new low physically and spiritually because of our continuous retreats. They must be given a rest and an opportunity for recreation to recuperate.

In the morning I undertook an extended trip through the damaged areas of Berlin. Sometimes I'd like to close my eyes so as not to see all this horror. The diplomatic quarter along the Tiergarten looks like one gigantic heap of rubble. One can hardly pass through the streets, as they are covered with debris. . . . .

In the early evening attention was naturally focused on the question of a possible air raid. At first it looked as though everything was to be perfectly harmless, and as though only nuisance planes were to fly over us. Then a stronger formation started for Frankfurt-on-Main and we received news that this city would be attacked again. But that was merely a camouflage maneuver. The English turned off from Frankfurt unnoticed and sneaked toward Berlin. . . . . .

INDUSTRY GUTTED

And then things started. Once again a major attack descended upon the Reich capital. This time the target was the suburbs of Wedding and Reinickendorf, and chiefly the large munitions plants in Reinickendorf. Some of the main traffic crossings in the center of the city also took a beating. But the important thing was the damage to industry. The news that the Alkett plant was on fire was especially depressing. Alkett is our most important factory for the production of fieldpieces.

. . . The sky above Berlin is bloody, deep red, and of an awesome beauty. I just can't stand looking at it. . . . It seems as though all the elements of fate and nature have conspired against us to create difficulties. If only frost were to set in, so that our tanks might move again in the East!

. . . What a life we are leading! Who could have prophesied that at our cradle! I don't believe anyone can lead a more dramatic and nerve-racking life. Nevertheless it has great and impelling impulses. One must throw oneself into this life with abandon both to taste it to the full and help shape it. Later generations will not only admire us but be jealous that life entrusted us with such tremendous tasks.

November 28, 1943

The British are greatly overestimating the damage done to Berlin. Naturally it is terrible, but there is no question of 25 per cent of the capital no longer existing. The English naturally want to furnish their public a propaganda morsel. I have every reason to want to believe this and therefore forbid any denial. The sooner London is convinced that there is nothing left of Berlin, the sooner they will stop their air offensive against the Reich capital. . . .

. . . The Soviets are outdoing themselves in their demand for unconditional German surrender. They ask us for 1,600,000,000 gold marks as reparations and declare quite insolently that they don't want this sum paid in cash, but instead want all of Germany's production facilities plus the workers surrendered to them. We would rather defend the last remnants of our walls than accede to such a mad demand.

GREATER BRITISH FOE

The English are already giving hypocritical support to these insane Soviet demands. They naturally would like to use this occasion to sell out the entire German future. The English would then not have to bother any longer about Europe, at least as they see it. The most surprising thing about the whole watter is that nobody in England seems to recognize that once the Soviet Union is in Europe, it will be a much more dangerous opponent of the British Empire.

(Ed.'s Note: There is a gap at this point in the diaries, but for a proper understanding of what follows it is necessary to remember that on December 1, 1943, Roosevelt, Stalin, and Churchill completed a four-day conference in Teheran.

Also, there was another terrific air raid on Berlin on December 2.)

December 4, 1943

A speech delivered in London by Smuts is truly sensational. He declared that the Reich would disappear from the map for a long time. That's nothing new to us. Then, however, he continued with observations that must be taken more seriously, to the effect that the Soviets would become the masters of Europe. The Russian colossus would dominate the entire European continent. England would come out of this war with honor and glory but poor as a beggar. The United States would in large measure be the heir to the British Empire. England would no longer have much to say in Europe since the Soviet Union would take its place.

(Field Marshal Jan Christiaan Smuts is Prime Minister of the Union of South Africa.)

December 5, 1943

We have received a valuable report via Lisbon about the domestic situation in England. According to it, the fear of German retaliation is almost indescribable, especially in the English capital. The English have a bad conscience.

According to the English yellow press, the conference of the Big Three is to decide on military plans of great magnitude against Germany. The Anglo-Americans have asked Stalin for airports within the territory of the Soviet Union so as to bombard Germany from the east also. Churchill again intends to cede all of eastern Germany to the Poles as an equivalent for the Soviets' laying claim to eastern Poland. I can hardly imagine that the leading English statesmen are so stupid and shortsighted as to put that sort of an estimate on Bolshevism. Stalin won't think of fulfilling obligations entered upon with England and America.

LEIPZIG TERROR-STRICKEN

Unfortunately the air raid on Leipzig last night was exceedingly severe and fateful. The city was not prepared for so massive an attempt at terrorization. The fire department was not adequate. As a result whole rows of houses went up in smoke. The center of the city was especially hard hit. Almost all public buildings, theaters, the university, the Supreme Court, exhibition halls, et cetera have either been completely destroyed or seriously damaged. . . . About 150,000 to 200,000 people are without shelter.

(Leipzig was the seat of the German Reichsgericht, or Supreme Court. It was famed the world over for its annual fairs, for which it had built an imposing series of exhibition halls.)

December 7, 1943

In the morning we were still ignorant of what happened at Teheran. . . . In the evening the long-awaited communique was at last issued. . . . One might expect that a little more would result from three days of conference, but apparently Stalin could not agree to the plans of Churchill and Roosevelt. Stalin was undoubtedly the guiding spirit of the Teheran Conference. It is like a fist in the eye when they talk of democracy, freedom of peoples, and elimination of intolerance and slavery in a document bearing his signature. . . . .

Goering traveled west on orders of the Fuehrer to prepare a retaliatory blow against England. We need about 200 heavy four-motored planes for it. They are to fly to England twice in the course of one night and strike a heavy blow against the British capital. Naturally we cannot repeat such an assault as often as we would like, but it will give the English something to think about. I expect great psychological results from it.

Reuter reports that Count Ciano has been executed. Unfortunately this report does not correspond with the facts.

The great task of the hour is to see to it that law and order prevail in the occupied areas. In Copenhagen, for instance, a German soldier was shot. The military levied a penalty of two million marks on the city. That's an effective method of punishment. You have to grab the Danes by their purse strings. They are most touchy there.

The English are waging war in Italy very effectively. It is by no means true that they lack combat experience. On the contrary, they are making the cleverest use of every advantage. Their most striking advantage is their superiority in the air. Every day they lay a curtain of bombs on us in numbers hitherto unknown in this war. In southern Italy one can speak of materiel battles comparable to those of World War I in the west.

December 9, 1943

A pompous, phrase-laden communique has been issued about Roosevelt's and Churchill's meeting with Inonu (General Ismet Inonu, Turkish chief of state) in Cairo. No doubt the Turks were willing to stand for this communique only because they wanted to camouflage somewhat their opposition to the Anglo-American demants. It is quite obvious Turkey shows no inclination whatever to enter the war in favor of England or the United States, not to speak of the Soviet Union. But the enemy is still not giving up hope.

FLU HITS ENGLAND

A serious epidemic of influenza has broken out in England. The King, too, is ill. How wonderful if the epidemic were to prove fatal! That would suit us exactly. But that's too good to be true.

The Japanese celebrated the beginning of the third year of war. Tojo delivered a speech about Japanese successes to date and also predicted the decision for 1944. I can only warn him about fixing dates. We had some very bad experiences along that line during this war.

How badly we are doing our political job in the East can be seen from the fact that Rosenberg has still not carried out the Fuehrer's order to transfer the propaganda there to us. He is doing everything he can to sabotage and torpedo it. I don't understand how the Fuehrer can leave such an obstreperous nincompoop in his job. . . . Rosenberg has done more harm than good, not only in the East but also in the realm of politics generally. It is high time for a showdown.

Lammers, at my request, reported the situation regarding the propaganda department in Paris to the Fuehrer and told him about Ribbentrop's attempt to take it out of my hands via the OKW. The Fuehrer was in a rage and turned against Ribbentrop, using very harsh and insulting expressions. The Fuehrer described the report given me by Ribbentrop through Minister Ritter as absolutely untrue and mendacious.

The Fuehrer was very much excited during this talk and told Von Ribbentrop he would not stand for this coming to him again in private on such matters. He decided that for the present everything should remain as it is until I've had an opportunity to present the case to the Fuehrer. One can see how unscrupulously Ribbentrop is wont to proceed in such matters and how little true comradeship he shows a colleague. If Ribbentrop is as clover in his foreign policy as he is toward his colleagues in matters of domestic politics, I can well understand why we won't achieve any notable successes in our dealings with foreign nations.

(The entry for December 9, 1943, was the last found among the Goebbels papers. The impression gained from this last entry is that of jealousy and disunity among Hitler's top leaders.)

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Tonight his topic will be "Can Stalin Succeed Where Hitler Failed?" This sermon will be illustrated with lantern slides.

At 7 o'clock he will show the sound film "They Also Received." This film shows how the converted wossy-fossy head-hunter of the South Sea Islands rescued American airmen on Jap-occupied territory. A sound film will be shown every night at the beginning of every meeting. The public is invited to every service.

A brief summary of Pastor Westermeyer's sermon yesterday morning is: "The reason for my bright hope for the future is God's future. As far as human plans for world betterment are concerned it is dark. Even scientists and statesmen who pride themselves on sober and sound thinking are now preaching in terms of hellfire. Dr. Harold C. Urey, who had much to do with the creation of the atomic bomb recently said, 'Developments in the art of war makes it impossible that in the case of another war civilization will survive. President Truman recently declared 'Civilization cannot survive another atomic war. Nothing will be left but a world of rubbles.'

"Now, simply stated, man's hope is in the Second Coming of Christ. His return has been the hope of the church through all the ages. Then God will put down the forces of rebellion and bring in a reign of righteousness. There is no power on earth to compare with that hope and trust in God's deliverance. The Second Coming of Christ is the only hope for a dying and sin-sick world."

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If the good people of Monroe will honor me by electing me as their Commissioner of Streets and Parks, I promise among other things, to attempt to accomplish the following:

1. A definite program for the beautification of our entire city. As in the past, this responsibility shall be turned over to the Garden Clubs of Monroe, whose civic-minded ladies have done such a wonderful job. Monroe is most fortunate in having two lovely parks, and no stone should be left unturned in making them the envy of the entire State. It would be desirable to have monthly meetings with the representatives of these clubs.

2. Erection of a baseball park as soon as is possible. This should be done without fail, not only for recreational value to the citizens of Monroe, but also as a drawing card for attracting out of town people to our city.

I favor a comprehensive recreation program which may reduce juvenile delinquency in our city. I am not unmindful that this will take money to accomplish, and I will vote and support an increased recreational budget for this city.

3. I favor a program that will give the City of Monroe hard surface streets.

4. Removal of the neutral ground the entire length of Lee Avenue. Lee Avenue has developed into one of our heaviest traveled streets. Yet, as long as the neutral ground remains there, it will be practically impossible to pass a bus or truck on this street. Hundreds of children play along this street, and with its present narrowness, it constitutes a tremendous traffic hazard, and a menace to your children's safety.

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9. I am unalterably opposed to disposing of any of the city's utilities.

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REBUILDING ZION SERMON TOPIC

Rev. Waldrep Johnson Declares Christ Is Only Hope Of World

"Rebuilding the Walls of Jerusalem" was the sermon topic of Waldrep Johnson at the Jackson Street Church of Christ meeting last night. Mr. Johnson described the sacred and historic city of Jerusalem, holy ground to the Jews, as the city of God's temple, altar, and dwelling place. This city was destroyed by Nebuchadnezzar and Nebuzaradan in the 6th century, B. C., during the reigns of Jehoickin, the eight-year-old Jehoichin, and Zedskiah. Zerubbabel, with 50,000 Jews, rebuilt the altar and temple but left the walls in a state of disrepair. It was the task of Nehemiah to rebuild the walls. Nehemiah's vision, opposition, internal trouble, trouble with compromisers, and his perseverance and personal sacrifice were compared to the restorationists and their efforts of the early 19th century in America. The plea was made to continue these efforts toward the complete restoration of the walls of spiritual Jerusalem which is the church.

"We have no way but Christ, no creed but Christ, no church but His to offer, no doctrine but His, and no book of discipline but the New Testament." "This is our effort to restore the spiritual walls to their original apostolic level," concluded the speaker.

Mr. Johnson's sermon Sunday morning at 10:50 will be "Christ's Death a Necessity" and Sunday evening at 7:30, concluding the series of meetings, will be "Christ's Universal Invitation."

In 1832, the "John Bull," a 10-ton locomotive began to haul trains between Camden and Amboy, New Jersey, over the first all-metal railroad tracks.

The Goebbels Diaries

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the final of 18 daily articles from the book, "The Goebbels Diaries," edited by Louis P. Lochner, noted AP foreign correspondent. The diaries themselves were kept by Dr. (Paul) Joseph Goebbels, one of the top-flight Nazi trinity. The choicest items have been selected and are chronologically presented for publication.)

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INSTALMENT EIGHTEEN

(Continued Allied air bombings of Berlin found Goebbels desperate but still defiant in his diary entries of November 27, 1943 to December 9, 1943, the last found among his documents. He waxes poetic and is furious over the British support of Stalin's fantastic demands for reparations.)

November 27, 1943

Last night it was Frankfurt's turn to suffer fairly heavy attacks. The damage is not too bad, except for cultural monuments. Thus, for instance, the Goethe House has been hit. One's feelings are already so blunted by air raids that this hardly seems like sacrilege. There's nothing one can do about it anyway! Air raids hang over us like fate.

As regards our situation in the East, the enemy credits us with more than we really have. Our difficulties there are enormous, chiefly because of the weather. Our attack did not really get under way. It got stuck, as it were, in the mud. We had expected so much of it, and so little came of it. We are having a streak of bad luck this year that is simply unique. All one can do is to hope that it may before long change over into an equally enduring streak of good luck.

During the last ten days, thank God, our casualties have not been too high. They totaled 6,473 killed in action; 26,000 wounded; 3,800 missing. That is bearable. On the other hand sickness has increased, and above all the troops have reached a new low physically and spiritually because of our continuous retreats. They must be given a rest and an opportunity for recreation to recuperate.

In the morning I undertook an extended trip through the damaged areas of Berlin. Sometimes I'd like to close my eyes so as not to see all this horror. The diplomatic quarter along the Tiergarten looks like one gigantic heap of rubble. One can hardly pass through the streets, as they are covered with debris. . . . .

In the early evening attention was naturally focused on the question of a possible air raid. At first it looked as though everything was to be perfectly harmless, and as though only nuisance planes were to fly over us. Then a stronger formation started for Frankfurt-on-Main and we received news that this city would be attacked again. But that was merely a camouflage maneuver. The English turned off from Frankfurt unnoticed and sneaked toward Berlin. . . . . .

INDUSTRY GUTTED

And then things started. Once again a major attack descended upon the Reich capital. This time the target was the suburbs of Wedding and Reinickendorf, and chiefly the large munitions plants in Reinickendorf. Some of the main traffic crossings in the center of the city also took a beating. But the important thing was the damage to industry. The news that the Alkett plant was on fire was especially depressing. Alkett is our most important factory for the production of fieldpieces.

. . . The sky above Berlin is bloody, deep red, and of an awesome beauty. I just can't stand looking at it. . . . It seems as though all the elements of fate and nature have conspired against us to create difficulties. If only frost were to set in, so that our tanks might move again in the East!

. . . What a life we are leading! Who could have prophesied that at our cradle! I don't believe anyone can lead a more dramatic and nerve-racking life. Nevertheless it has great and impelling impulses. One must throw oneself into this life with abandon both to taste it to the full and help shape it. Later generations will not only admire us but be jealous that life entrusted us with such tremendous tasks.

November 28, 1943

The British are greatly overestimating the damage done to Berlin. Naturally it is terrible, but there is no question of 25 per cent of the capital no longer existing. The English naturally want to furnish their public a propaganda morsel. I have every reason to want to believe this and therefore forbid any denial. The sooner London is convinced that there is nothing left of Berlin, the sooner they will stop their air offensive against the Reich capital. . . .

. . . The Soviets are outdoing themselves in their demand for unconditional German surrender. They ask us for 1,600,000,000 gold marks as reparations and declare quite insolently that they don't want this sum paid in cash, but instead want all of Germany's production facilities plus the workers surrendered to them. We would rather defend the last remnants of our walls than accede to such a mad demand.

GREATER BRITISH FOE

The English are already giving hypocritical support to these insane Soviet demands. They naturally would like to use this occasion to sell out the entire German future. The English would then not have to bother any longer about Europe, at least as they see it. The most surprising thing about the whole watter is that nobody in England seems to recognize that once the Soviet Union is in Europe, it will be a much more dangerous opponent of the British Empire.

(Ed.'s Note: There is a gap at this point in the diaries, but for a proper understanding of what follows it is necessary to remember that on December 1, 1943, Roosevelt, Stalin, and Churchill completed a four-day conference in Teheran.

Also, there was another terrific air raid on Berlin on December 2.)

December 4, 1943

A speech delivered in London by Smuts is truly sensational. He declared that the Reich would disappear from the map for a long time. That's nothing new to us. Then, however, he continued with observations that must be taken more seriously, to the effect that the Soviets would become the masters of Europe. The Russian colossus would dominate the entire European continent. England would come out of this war with honor and glory but poor as a beggar. The United States would in large measure be the heir to the British Empire. England would no longer have much to say in Europe since the Soviet Union would take its place.

(Field Marshal Jan Christiaan Smuts is Prime Minister of the Union of South Africa.)

December 5, 1943

We have received a valuable report via Lisbon about the domestic situation in England. According to it, the fear of German retaliation is almost indescribable, especially in the English capital. The English have a bad conscience.

According to the English yellow press, the conference of the Big Three is to decide on military plans of great magnitude against Germany. The Anglo-Americans have asked Stalin for airports within the territory of the Soviet Union so as to bombard Germany from the east also. Churchill again intends to cede all of eastern Germany to the Poles as an equivalent for the Soviets' laying claim to eastern Poland. I can hardly imagine that the leading English statesmen are so stupid and shortsighted as to put that sort of an estimate on Bolshevism. Stalin won't think of fulfilling obligations entered upon with England and America.

LEIPZIG TERROR-STRICKEN

Unfortunately the air raid on Leipzig last night was exceedingly severe and fateful. The city was not prepared for so massive an attempt at terrorization. The fire department was not adequate. As a result whole rows of houses went up in smoke. The center of the city was especially hard hit. Almost all public buildings, theaters, the university, the Supreme Court, exhibition halls, et cetera have either been completely destroyed or seriously damaged. . . . About 150,000 to 200,000 people are without shelter.

(Leipzig was the seat of the German Reichsgericht, or Supreme Court. It was famed the world over for its annual fairs, for which it had built an imposing series of exhibition halls.)

December 7, 1943

In the morning we were still ignorant of what happened at Teheran. . . . In the evening the long-awaited communique was at last issued. . . . One might expect that a little more would result from three days of conference, but apparently Stalin could not agree to the plans of Churchill and Roosevelt. Stalin was undoubtedly the guiding spirit of the Teheran Conference. It is like a fist in the eye when they talk of democracy, freedom of peoples, and elimination of intolerance and slavery in a document bearing his signature. . . . .

Goering traveled west on orders of the Fuehrer to prepare a retaliatory blow against England. We need about 200 heavy four-motored planes for it. They are to fly to England twice in the course of one night and strike a heavy blow against the British capital. Naturally we cannot repeat such an assault as often as we would like, but it will give the English something to think about. I expect great psychological results from it.

Reuter reports that Count Ciano has been executed. Unfortunately this report does not correspond with the facts.

The great task of the hour is to see to it that law and order prevail in the occupied areas. In Copenhagen, for instance, a German soldier was shot. The military levied a penalty of two million marks on the city. That's an effective method of punishment. You have to grab the Danes by their purse strings. They are most touchy there.

The English are waging war in Italy very effectively. It is by no means true that they lack combat experience. On the contrary, they are making the cleverest use of every advantage. Their most striking advantage is their superiority in the air. Every day they lay a curtain of bombs on us in numbers hitherto unknown in this war. In southern Italy one can speak of materiel battles comparable to those of World War I in the west.

December 9, 1943

A pompous, phrase-laden communique has been issued about Roosevelt's and Churchill's meeting with Inonu (General Ismet Inonu, Turkish chief of state) in Cairo. No doubt the Turks were willing to stand for this communique only because they wanted to camouflage somewhat their opposition to the Anglo-American demants. It is quite obvious Turkey shows no inclination whatever to enter the war in favor of England or the United States, not to speak of the Soviet Union. But the enemy is still not giving up hope.

FLU HITS ENGLAND

A serious epidemic of influenza has broken out in England. The King, too, is ill. How wonderful if the epidemic were to prove fatal! That would suit us exactly. But that's too good to be true.

The Japanese celebrated the beginning of the third year of war. Tojo delivered a speech about Japanese successes to date and also predicted the decision for 1944. I can only warn him about fixing dates. We had some very bad experiences along that line during this war.

How badly we are doing our political job in the East can be seen from the fact that Rosenberg has still not carried out the Fuehrer's order to transfer the propaganda there to us. He is doing everything he can to sabotage and torpedo it. I don't understand how the Fuehrer can leave such an obstreperous nincompoop in his job. . . . Rosenberg has done more harm than good, not only in the East but also in the realm of politics generally. It is high time for a showdown.

Lammers, at my request, reported the situation regarding the propaganda department in Paris to the Fuehrer and told him about Ribbentrop's attempt to take it out of my hands via the OKW. The Fuehrer was in a rage and turned against Ribbentrop, using very harsh and insulting expressions. The Fuehrer described the report given me by Ribbentrop through Minister Ritter as absolutely untrue and mendacious.

The Fuehrer was very much excited during this talk and told Von Ribbentrop he would not stand for this coming to him again in private on such matters. He decided that for the present everything should remain as it is until I've had an opportunity to present the case to the Fuehrer. One can see how unscrupulously Ribbentrop is wont to proceed in such matters and how little true comradeship he shows a colleague. If Ribbentrop is as clover in his foreign policy as he is toward his colleagues in matters of domestic politics, I can well understand why we won't achieve any notable successes in our dealings with foreign nations.

(The entry for December 9, 1943, was the last found among the Goebbels papers. The impression gained from this last entry is that of jealousy and disunity among Hitler's top leaders.)

Before World War II the Far East exported a net of four and one-quarter million tons of foodstuffs, but in 1947 it was a net importer of six and one-half million tons.

Piano pedals were devised by an Englishman named Broadwood in about 1783.

ADVENTISTS OPEN REVIVAL MEETING

W. H. Westermeyer, Of Little Rock, Conducting Services Here

"Look up, troubled friend, and keep looking up for there is hope for the future," declared Pastor W. H. Westermeyer, of Little Rock, at the Seventh-Day Adventist Church, 1205 DeSiard, in his opening sermon yesterday morning at the 11 o'clock Sabbath worship service. This was the first meeting of a week's evangelistic services which he will conduct there this week. There will be services every night this week at 7:30.

Tonight his topic will be "Can Stalin Succeed Where Hitler Failed?" This sermon will be illustrated with lantern slides.

At 7 o'clock he will show the sound film "They Also Received." This film shows how the converted wossy-fossy head-hunter of the South Sea Islands rescued American airmen on Jap-occupied territory. A sound film will be shown every night at the beginning of every meeting. The public is invited to every service.

A brief summary of Pastor Westermeyer's sermon yesterday morning is: "The reason for my bright hope for the future is God's future. As far as human plans for world betterment are concerned it is dark. Even scientists and statesmen who pride themselves on sober and sound thinking are now preaching in terms of hellfire. Dr. Harold C. Urey, who had much to do with the creation of the atomic bomb recently said, 'Developments in the art of war makes it impossible that in the case of another war civilization will survive. President Truman recently declared 'Civilization cannot survive another atomic war. Nothing will be left but a world of rubbles.'

"Now, simply stated, man's hope is in the Second Coming of Christ. His return has been the hope of the church through all the ages. Then God will put down the forces of rebellion and bring in a reign of righteousness. There is no power on earth to compare with that hope and trust in God's deliverance. The Second Coming of Christ is the only hope for a dying and sin-sick world."

The first general conference of governors of the U. S. was held at the White House in 1908 when President Theodore Roosevelt called the meeting.

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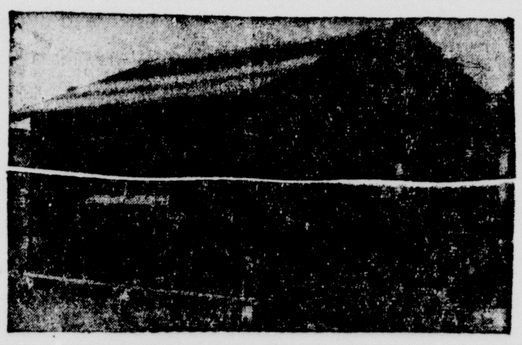

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In announcing my candidacy for Commissioner of Streets and Parks, I was prompted to do so because of the desire that I have to serve the people of Monroe, and, secondly, because I have a definite program in mind, one which I have sincerely planned and which is for the development and progress of our city. During the course of the war, I had the opportunity to visit many beautiful cities, towns and communities. In my mind I would compare the places that I visited with my own beloved home town. The thought was constantly in my mind during this particular time that many of the things that were done in other places could be accomplished back home, and that the results would greatly beautify and improve our city.

If the good people of Monroe will honor me by electing me as their Commissioner of Streets and Parks, I promise among other things, to attempt to accomplish the following:

1. A definite program for the beautification of our entire city. As in the past, this responsibility shall be turned over to the Garden Clubs of Monroe, whose civic-minded ladies have done such a wonderful job. Monroe is most fortunate in having two lovely parks, and no stone should be left unturned in making them the envy of the entire State. It would be desirable to have monthly meetings with the representatives of these clubs.

2. Erection of a baseball park as soon as is possible. This should be done without fail, not only for recreational value to the citizens of Monroe, but also as a drawing card for attracting out of town people to our city.

3. I favor a program that will give the City of Monroe hard surface streets.

4. Removal of the neutral ground the entire length of Lee Avenue. Lee Avenue has developed into one of our heaviest traveled streets. Yet, as long as the neutral ground remains there, it will be practically impossible to pass a bus or truck on this street. Hundreds of children play along this street, and with its present narrowness, it constitutes a tremendous traffic hazard, and a menace to your children's safety.

5. Use of better grade materials in the repair of our streets. Everyone has seen crews return again and again to the same spots to make repairs. Rather than buy the cheapest material every time, I propose to buy the best; doing this should make one trip suffice, and, as a result, mean a financial saving to the taxpayers as well as keep the streets in good order.

6. Action as soon as possible on Monroe's sewerage and drainage problem. The money for the improvement program has already been dedicated. Immediate action should be taken to get this program started.

7. I favor the establishment of a purchasing department for the City of Monroe. I state to you, in the spirit of constructive criticism, that it would be more economical to purchase necessities and supplies for the City of Monroe through a central department than by permitting various agencies of the City of Monroe to buy their own supplies. The common practice of permitting every department to purchase their own needs where they wish, REGARDLESS OF PRICE, costs the taxpayers thousands of dollars.

8. I favor divorcing the City Schools of Monroe from Politics. Even though the City Council has passed a resolution acquiescing in this plan, it is still necessary that the legislature enact into law the separation of the schools from politics. I will work untiringly to accomplish this objective.

9. I am unalterably opposed to disposing of any of the city's utilities.

10. Establishment of an advisory board to meet with the City Council. This board would be composed of a representative group of citizens from all sections of the city, and would serve without pay. On important matters of policy, the Council could use this group as a sounding board for determining the thoughts and wishes of the taxpayers.

I am running for office independently, with no political ties whatsoever. Having known the candidates for the other council positions all my life, I feel that no matter who is elected to those offices, I would be able to work with them harmoniously and to the best interests of the city. Nothing constructive can be accomplished unless your elected officials can and will pull together as a team.

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State Stands To Gain Financially If Taft-Ellender Bill Made Law

WASHINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—Louisiana and Mississippi will benefit heavily financially if the Taft-Ellender Federal school aid becomes law.

The bill sets up a $300,000,000 fund to be divided among the states annually for primary and secondary schools—the purpose being to insure an expenditure each year of a minimum of $50 for each child of school age in the country.

As worked out by the senate labor committee, Louisiana's share would be $11,075,000, Mississippi's $16,985,000—provided, of course, the states meet the requirement of spending 2.5 per cent total their income for education.

The committee figured Louisiana taxpayers would contribute $3,510,000 toward the cost of the federal program, leaving the state net gainer by $7,565,000.

Mississippi's contribution was figured at $52,100,000 and its net gain at $14,885,000.

On the other hand, New York would contribute $40,560,000 and show a net loss of $28,550,000.

Senator Ellender (D-La) is a co-author of the bill, now pending in Congress. Reps. Winstead, Whitten and Abernathy (D-Miss) have introduced similar bills in the house.

Another report prepared by the Library of Congress in connection with proposed federal aid legislation shows that Louisiana schools are operating this year with 1,500 teachers who filling in on an emergency basis and whose qualifications are not up to standard. Mississippi has 250 such teachers.

A year ago, the report showed, 2,009 Louisiana teachers and 1,600 in Mississippi held emergency or substandard certificates.

In 1944-45, the report showed, the average annual salary paid teachers in Louisiana was $1,515, compared with $2,600 for this year. Mississippi teachers were paid an average annual salary of $842 in 1944-45 compared with $1,350 this year.

In this connection, the report said the loss of thousands of qualified teachers the last seven years has been attributed to low salaries paid in the teaching field.

The report also showed this about schools in Louisiana:

That the average number of Louisiana students per teacher in 1943-44 was 25.1, compared with a national average of 23.7.

That in 1944-45 Louisiana spent $36,853,705 for elementary and secondary education, an average of $100.54 per enrolled pupil, compared with a national average of $134.14.

That in 1943-44 revenues for public education in Louisiana totaled $34,703,667 of which 34.27 per cent was provided by local taxes, 64.85 by state taxes and 1.08 by federal taxes. Nationally the average percentage was 65.63 local, 32.99 state and 1.38 federal.

That for 1945-46 Louisiana received $2,444,963 in federal aid, of which $714,725 was for aid to education and $1,730,000 for school lunches. This figured $4 per pupil, compared with a national average of $3.35.

That for 1943-44 Louisiana school property had a total value of $84,158,399 or $1.95 per enrolled student. Nationally the average was $341.

EASTER

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place and Dr. Dan Gilbert, noted religious leader, concluding a two-week series there today. At 10:55 a. m. he will preach on "The Cross in the Garden of Eden"; at 3 p. m. he will discuss "The War That America Will Lose." His night topic, which ends his series in Monroe, will be "Will Christ Come before the crackup of the United States?"

Two downtown churches in Monroe, to accommodate the anticipated large attendance Sunday, will hold two duplicate services. The First Presbyterian Church will have duplicate sermons by the pastor, Rev. Ernest Duncan Holloway, at 8:30 and 11 a. m., and the public can choose the one they find most convenient for attendance. At 4 p. m. baptisms will be administered and the night service will be at the usual hour.

The First Methodist Church will have communion at 8 a. m., a preaching service at 9:30 a. m. and again at 10:45 a. m. the sermon will be repeated.

Christian Science services will be held in their church on Auburn avenue as usual Sunday.

St. Matthew's Catholic Church there will be masses as usual at 6:30, 8, 9, 10, and 11 a. m. The high mass with unusually elaborate music will be held at the 11 o'clock hour.

Grace Church (Episcopal) held the service of preparation for Easter Friday night; Evensong Saturday at 4:30 and on Sunday the services will be at usual hours, with elaborate musical features for the morning Easter service.

The choir of the First Baptist Church, West Monroe, under the direction of Miss Martha Carroll, will present a program of Easter music Sunday evening at 7:30 in the auditorium of the church. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Raymond Spence at the organ and Miss Maxine Pettit at the piano.

Some of the numbers included on the program are "Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring" by Bach, "Blessed Jesus," by Christianse, "Alleluia! Christ is Risen" by Gillette, and a group of familiar Easter hymns.

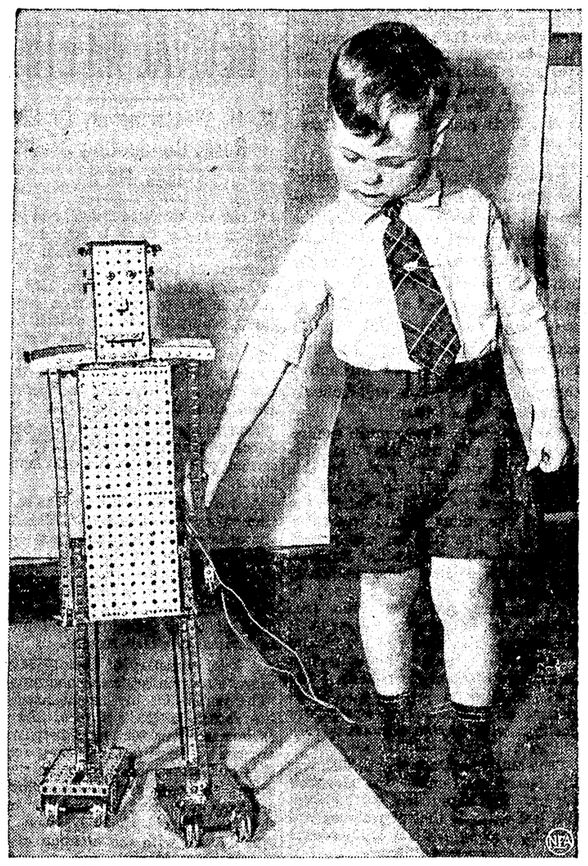
A revival service will be held morning and night in the First Methodist Church of West Monroe Sunday, the night service taking the place of the usual cantata.

ARREST TWO

Two Negroes, Ernest Miller, 22, of Dermont, Ark., and Mary Cleveland, 30, of Magnolia street, were arrested early last night and charged with fighting and being drunk and disorderly, Monroe police said. Both Negroes are being held on a $50 bond each.

Russia's coast line on the Black sea is 1,000 miles long.

Newest Toy Takes a Stroll



Albert Villant, 4, introduces the "Walking Giant," one of the new toys on display at New York's Toy Fair. The "Walking Giant" is made from a mechanical set. And it really walks. There are over 100,000 playthings at the huge fair

DEWEY'S DECISION

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available for the nomination, Mrs. Roosevelt replied;

"I always let my children do what they think is right. I do not believe in interfering with one's children. They are all grown people and they have all been through the war and they have a right to their own opinions"

Mrs. Roosevelt, who often has supported President Truman's policies in the past, has been somewhat critical of the administration's shift of position on Palestine.

Dewey will speak at Racine and Milwaukee, Wis., next Thursday. His aides said speaking dates the following week are being arranged for Lincoln, Neb., and Omaha.

This decision marked a major reversal in the New York governor's previous campaign tactics. He has contended in the past that he couldn't get away from his desk until about April 15.

From the dewey camp came reports that surveys show MacArthur leading in Wisconsin. Thye said that while he has no direct check, an intensive campaign is being put on in Wisconsin for the general.

Dewey openly is out to beat Stassen in Wisconsin. If he can top Stassen in the number of delegates he will still be very much in the race, even though MacArthur wins more delegates than either.

Stassen, on the other hand, would get a big boost if he can poll more than Dewey.

Dewey took 15 of Wisconsin delegates in 1944, when the state had an allotment of 24 delegates—even though he asked his friends not to run him there. Stassen got four, MacArthur three and two were unpledged.

In a companion popularity primary, MacArthur rolled up 102,421 votes as the only entry. However, Dewey got 21,036 write in votes and Stassen 7,928 in that category.

In Nebraska, Dewey butts heads with Taft for the first time in a primary which has no direct bearing on the complexion of the state's 15-member delegation to the convention.

Defeats for Dewey in Wisconsin and Nebraska might go a long way toward crimping his style as a major candidate. If he beats Stassen in Nebraska, he can ride along until the May 21 Oregon primary sheds some light on far western sentiment.

A double victory for Dewey, of course, would put him on the way toward the same kind of situation as in 1944 when he won the nomination no-contest.

FOREIGN AID BILL

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late Tuesday or sometime Wednesday.

There may be some changes—to tighten up on exports to Russia and to put in $220,000,000 of economic help for Japan, Korea and the Ryukyu Islands, for instance. But Vorys and Bloom predict the bill is going through pretty much "as is."

After that, the Senate and House will have to settle some differences. That will take several days.

But congressional leaders say they are sure the bill will be at the White House for the president to sign early in April.

The administration wants the bill to be a law before April 18. That is the date for an election in Italy in which Communists are trying to make a strong show.

The Senate is handling foreign aid in several bills, the House in one.

The Senate already has passed a $5,300,000,000 European recovery program and a $275,000,000 military aid bill for Greece and Turkey. It expects to act next week on a $463,000,000 Chinese aid bill which would permit use of $100,000,000 in any way the Chinese government sees fit. That includes military uses.

The single package House bill includes the $5,300,000,000 European program, the $275,000,000 Greek-Turkish military aid plan, $420,000,000 for economic and $150,000,000 for military help for China, and $60,000,000 for the United Nations fund for children.

Russia's great Volga river is about 2,200 miles in length, and is said to be navigable for almost its entire course.

SENATE PLANS TO BOOST DEFENSE

WASHINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—Senate Republican leaders talked today of boosting national defense funds between two and three billion dollars and earmarking a billion for the airforce.

Chairman Taft (R.-Ohio) told a reporter that the Senate Republican policy committee will review the entire military situation at a meeting next week.

He said this will involve discussion of President Truman's call for revival of the draft and for universal military training. The G. O. P. members will do some talking about costs, he said.

Republican finance leaders in both House and Senate contended that the government can afford to pay for foreign aid and an adequate defense while cutting taxes and reducing the national debt.

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SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, March 27.—(AP)—Rebel and government troops fought at the seacoast city of Dominical last night in Costa Rica's civil war.

Dominical is on the Pacific south of San Jose, the capital. Government forces established a strongpoint there last week to begin an assault on rebel Chieftain Jose Figueres.

Fighting lulled south of Cartago, which is some 30 miles southeast of San Jose. It is in this area that rebels and government forces fought on the steep slopes of Cerro de La Muret (hill of death) this week.

Figueres, who wants to put Otilio Ulate Blanco in as president of Costa Rica, has claimed his forces control about a third of Costa Rica—the southern part.

Ulate was elected president in February, but on March 1 Congress annulled the vote, upholding fraud charges brought by Rafael Calderon Guardia, government-backed candidate.

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German Industry Produces Cars for Export

Germany's once-mighty industry, bombed and blasted by the Allies, is making a comeback. Here are the first automobiles to be exported by the Opel firm since the war's end. These Opel "Olympia" two-door sedans are pictured at Ruesselsheim, ready for shipment to Antwerp, Belgium. The company is also fulfilling contracts with Holland and Switzerland.

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fer the first definite opportunity to make use of the United Nations charter insofar as it refers to the organization of regional systems within the international structure established at the San Francisco conference.

Nations outside the hemisphere have a definite stake in the deliberations. To Great Britain and other custodians of colonial territory in the Western Hemisphere the newly raised outcry against colonialism makes the conference of singular importance.

During the San Francisco conference Latin American nations and the United States fought to prevent non-American nations from sharing the right to intervene in strictly American affairs. They agreed to consider the regional system a branch of the United Nations' tree but insisted on a certain margin of independence and freedom of action.

Once the United Nations charter was ratified, the American republics began to consider the reorganization of their hemispheric structure in accordance with the U. N. charter and U. N. organization.

The Pan-American Union's governing board already has announced a project for a constitutive pact which will be presented to the conference as a basis for discussion.

One of the clauses of the projected pact refers to the creation of a permanent defense council. Argentina has announced its opposition to a council under the control of the governing board. It desires instead to make the council responsible directly to the American governments. The issue promises to provoke considerable debate.

The conference is likely to be an outlet for forceful expression of Latin America's old desire for economic independence. Many Latin American nations consider the forthcoming economic discussions the most important issue.

Generally, Latin America' economy is based on its role of supplier of raw materials for the great industrial nations. The feeding of raw material to these nations and the continued delay in industrialization have been sore points for many a Latin American patriot.

Latin America's insistence on industrial development runs counter to the United States' desire for more free trade and lower tariff barriers. The majority of the republics will fight any attempt to weaken the protection now accorded their national industries.

Collinston

Mrs. Windsor Puckett was hostess to the Woman's Society of Christian Service when it held its monthly business-study meeting. Mrs. A. J. Tarver opened the business session with prayer. The president, Mrs. Puckett, appointed Mrs. B. W. Hopgood, Mrs. Guy Boyd, and Mrs. W. T. Griffin as a committee to make plans for a youth recreation program.

The opening chapters of "Ten Thousand Years in China," by Richard Baker, was presented in a most interesting manner by Mrs. Alton Norsworthy. These chapters dealt with the introduction of opium into China by British exploiters, causing the Chinese to regard all white men as "foreign devils" and making missionaries' work there more difficult. Interesting descriptions of the delicate carvings and art work of the Chinese was also told.

Mrs. Puckett served her guests a fruit salad course with coffee during the social hour. Present were Mrs. Tarver, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Hopgood, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Alton Norsworthy, Mrs. W. B. Norsworthy, Mrs. John Gobble, Mrs. C. L. Mason, Mrs. R. O. Richards, Mrs. A. H. Harper, Miss Marie Hodges, and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Allen, of Fairbanks, were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gullatt and small sons, of Ruston, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Barnes and infant son, of Winnsboro, visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Torris Eldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hodges, of Arcadia, visited here recently with his mother, Mrs. Lena Hodges, and family.

Mrs. A. J. Tarver placed attractive arrangements of spring blossoms in the reception suite of her home when she entertained with four tables of bridge. She was assisted by Misses Walter May Dalgarn and Ann Boyd in serving delectable sandwiches and confections with coffee thoughout the evening.

High, low and consolation prizes were presented to Mrs. G. W. Dalgran, Mrs. Clarence Mason, and Mrs. Alton Norsworthy. Others playing were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Pyron, Mrs. Jack Waldrop, Mrs. David Pipes, Mrs. W. B. Norsworthy, Mrs. W. T. Griffin, Mrs. B. W. Hopgood, Mrs. John Caldwell, Mrs. J. T. Howell, Mrs. H. A. Spencer, and Mrs. Windsor Puckett.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Wade, of Monroe, and Miss Mary Evelyn Durden and Mr. Robert Marlatt, of Bastrop, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Harkness.

Mrs. James Shamblin and little daughter, Mary Alta, of Rayville, were week-end house guests of Mrs. G. W. Dalgran.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thompson have had as guests her sister, Mrs. Cecil Cheek, Mr. Cheek, and son, Rex, of Winnsboro.

The Collinston P.-T. A. was represented at the 5th district meeting in Bastrop by its president, Mrs. A. H. Harper.

Miss Dorothy Trippe and Miss Willie Harper spent a few days at home from their nursing duties at St. Francis sanitarium.

Going Up?

Joan Anderson, long-limbed Youngstown, O., beauty, is a leading contender for the title of Miss Stardust of 1948. This nation-wide beauty contest drew over 25,000 entrants in 1947.

Tallulah

Mrs. J. Roy Medlin has returned from Alexandria where she attended a curriculum planning committee for home economics courses for Louisiana high schools. Mrs. Medlin has served on the curriculum committee for several years.

Dr. George M. Webb, formerly of Tallulah, has returned here to reside and has his office in the Madison Sanitarium. Dr. Webb graduated from the Louisiana State University School of Medicine, served three years with the Charity Hospital in Shreveport and with the armed forces, having spent thirty-seven months overseas. Prior to coming to Tallulah he has been practicing in McGehee, Ark.

The Tallulah Book Club will sponsor the Cancer Fund Drive in Madison parish under the leadership of Mrs. R. L. Bailey. She will be assisted by Mrs. E. B. Schicker, Mrs. Richard Almond, Mrs. W. L. Rountree, Mrs. Claude Grimes and Mrs. Earl Johnson. The campaign will begin the first week in April.

W. M. "Bill" Sheppard of Pine Bluff, Ark., was the guest speaker at a recent meeting of the Tallulah Rotary Club at a recent meeting. He delivered an outstanding address which was received with enthusiastic approval by members of the club.

Miss Nancy Sparling who has been a patient at the Foundation Hospital in New Orleans returned to her home Friday. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sparling. Her condition is improved.

FIRE ALARM

Firemen of company 4 extinguished a grass blaze on the 4600 block of South Grand street at 6 p. m. yesterday.

FINNS

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ment had been informed by now of what Russia actually is demanding in the negotiations for a pact.

Finnish political quarters theorized that the next move in the negotiations was up to the Finns.

Dispatches from Moscow said Izvestia, the government newspaper, in an article by Peter Frinin struck out strongly at "Norwegian diehards" and "ruling circles" for their present policy.

Norway has a common frontier with Russia for a short distance in the arctic north above Finland. (There have been recent reports, all denied officially, that Russia has put out feelers to Norway for a defense pact similar to that she is asking of Finland).

Marion

Mrs. Ruth Gill of Shreveport spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Allie Taunton.

Mrs. Mollie Stancil of Chatham spent several days of last week here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mike of Marthaville, were the week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mike.

Miss Elaine Jarmon, who is taking graduate work at Peabody College, in Nashville, was at home last week.

Sgt. and Mrs. John Zeigler and baby of Doyline spent several days of last week here with their parents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reeves of Alexandria were the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Reeves, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Eula O'Bannon of Bernice spent Saturday here with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Gulley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Taylor, little son, James Earl, and Mrs. Lauderback were Saturday visitors in Monroe.

WIFE OF PLANTER BURNED TO DEATH

Winnsboro Woman Succumbs After Seared In Blazing Gasoline Fire

WINNSBORO, March 27.—(Special)—Mrs. Mabel Young Buie, 52, wife of a prominent Franklin parish planter, died at 10:30 tonight in a local clinic from severe burns received around 11 a. m., when fire destroyed her home in the center of town.

A daughter, Jimmie, 18, present in the house when the blaze started, escaped without injury.

Mrs. Buie was engaged in painting in the kitchen of her home, using gasoline as a cleaning fluid. It is believed that the gasoline exploded when taken too close to a gas heater.

She was brought from the blazing residence by a huge Negro woman, employed by the Buies as a cook, who smashed down the front door to gain entrance to the house. Mrs. Buie was found lying on a bed, wrapped completely in blankets.

The cook carried Mrs. Buie to a waiting automobile although the blankets were blazing. The injured woman was rushed to the Rogers Clinic but failed to overcome the effects of the burns which covered her body.

Mrs. Buie's daughter, Jimmie was in a front section of the building when she heard the explosion in the kitchen. She rushed out the front door to the yard, pulling the door closed behind her. A spring lock on the door snapped, blocking attempts to enter the building until the colored cook arrived to kick her way in.

Mrs. Buie is survived by her husband, Jim Buie, and her daughter, Jimmie, a student at La. Tech at Ruston.

Other survivors include two brothers, Dr. T. Y. Young of Port Arthur, Tex., A. B. Young of Slaughter, La.; and five sisters, Mrs. Sally Herang of Slaughter, Miss Georgia Young of Baton Rouge, Miss Florence Young of Wisner, Mrs. Henry W. Gilbert of Wisner, and Mrs. Mary Kincaid of Winnsboro.

Final services will be held Monday at 2 p. m. at the First Methodist church in Winnsboro. The Rev. M. S. Robertson, pastor of the church, will officiate.

Interment, under the direction of the First National Funeral Home of Winnsboro, will follow at the Buie cemetery, near Fort Necessity.

The body will lie in state at the chapel of the Winnsboro funeral home until services.

TODAY'S "QUIZ"

QUESTION: How will I find an apartment?
ANSWER: Thru a Wanted to Rent Ad.
QUESTION: How will I find a used bike?
ANSWER: Thru a Wanted Ad.
QUESTION: How will I find a man to make repairs on my home?
ANSWER: Thru the Business Service Want Ads.
QUESTION: How will I find some used lumber?
ANSWER: Thru a Wanted to Buy Ad.
QUESTION: How will I find a used gun?
ANSWER: Thru a Sale Miscellaneous Want Ad.
QUESTION: How will I find a used stove?
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The WANT ADS are "WANT AIDS"

Phone 4800

EDUCATIONAL AID TO BENEFIT LA.

State Stands To Gain Financially If Taft-Ellender Bill Made Law

WASHINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—Louisiana and Mississippi will benefit heavily financially if the Taft-Ellender Federal school aid becomes law.

The bill sets up a $300,000,000 fund to be divided among the states annually for primary and secondary schools—the purpose being to insure an expenditure each year of a minimum of $50 for each child of school age in the country.

As worked out by the senate labor committee, Louisiana's share would be $11,075,000, Mississippi's $16,985,000—provided, of course, the states meet the requirement of spending 2.5 per cent total their income for education.

The committee figured Louisiana taxpayers would contribute $3,510,000 toward the cost of the federal program, leaving the state net gainer by $7,565,000.

Mississippi's contribution was figured at $82,100,000 and its net gain at $14,885,000.

On the other hand, New York would contribute $40,560,000 and show a net loss of $28,550,000.

Senator Ellender (D-La) is a co-author of the bill, now pending in Congress. Reps. Winstead, Whitten and Abernathy (D-Miss) have introduced similar bills in the house.

Another report prepared by the Library of Congress in connection with proposed federal aid legislation shows that Louisiana schools are operating this year with 1,500 teachers who filling in on an emergency basis and whose qualifications are not up to standard. Mississippi has 250 such teachers.

A year ago, the report showed, 2,009 Louisiana teachers and 1,600 in Mississippi held emergency or substandard certificates.

In 1944-45, the report showed, the average annual salary paid teachers in Louisiana was $1,515, compared with $2,600 for this year. Mississippi teachers were paid an average annual salary of $842 in 1944-45 compared with $1,350 this year.

In this connection, the report said the loss of thousands of qualified teachers the last seven years has been attributed to low salaries paid in the teaching field.

The report also showed this about schools in Louisiana:

That the average number of Louisiana students per teacher in 1943-44 was 25.1, compared with a national average of 23.7.

That in 1944-45 Louisiana spent $36,353,705 for elementary and secondary education, an average of $100.54 per enrolled pupil, compared with a national average of $134.14.

That in 1943-44 revenues for public education in Louisiana totaled $34,703,667 of which 34.27 per cent was provided by local taxes, 64.85 by state taxes and 1.08 by federal taxes. Nationally the average percentage was 65.63 local, 32.99 state and 1.38 federal.

That for 1945-46 Louisiana received $2,444,963 in federal aid, of which $714,725 was for aid to education and $1,730,000 for school lunches. This figured $4 per pupil, compared with a national average of $3.35.

That for 1943-44 Louisiana school property had a total value of $84,158,399 or $1.95 per enrolled student. Nationally the average was $341.

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Two downtown churches in Monroe, to accommodate the anticipated large attendance Sunday, will hold two duplicate services. The First Presbyterian Church will have duplicate sermons by the pastor, Rev. Ernest Duncan Holloway, at 8:30 and 11 a. m., and the public can choose the one they find most convenient for attendance. At 4 p. m. baptisms will be administered and the night service will be at the usual hour.

The First Methodist Church will have communion at 8 a. m., a preaching service at 9:30 a. m. and again at 10:45 a. m. the sermon will be repeated.

Christian Science services will be held in their church on Auburn avenue as usual Sunday.

St. Matthew's Catholic Church there will be masses as usual at 6:30, 8, 9, 10, and 11 a. m. The high mass with unusually elaborate music will be held at the 11 o'clock hour.

Grace Church (Episcopal) held the service of preparation for Easter Friday night; Evensong Saturday at 4:30 and on Sunday the services will be at usual hours, with elaborate musical features for the morning Easter service.

The choir of the First Baptist Church, West Monroe, under the direction of Miss Martha Carroll, will present a program of Easter music Sunday evening at 7:30 in the auditorium of the church. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Raymond Spence at the organ and Miss Maxine Pettit at the piano.

Some of the numbers included on the program are "Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring" by Bach, "Blessed Jesus," by Christianse, "Alleluia! Christ is Risen" by Gillette, and a group of familiar Easter hymns.

A revival service will be held morning and night in the First Methodist Church of West Monroe Sunday, the night service taking the place of the usual cantata.

ARREST TWO

Two Negroes, Ernest Miller, 22, of Dermont, Ark., and Mary Cleveland, 40, of Magnolia street, were arrested early last night and charged with fighting and being drunk and disorderly, Monroe police said. Both Negroes are being held on a $50 bond each.

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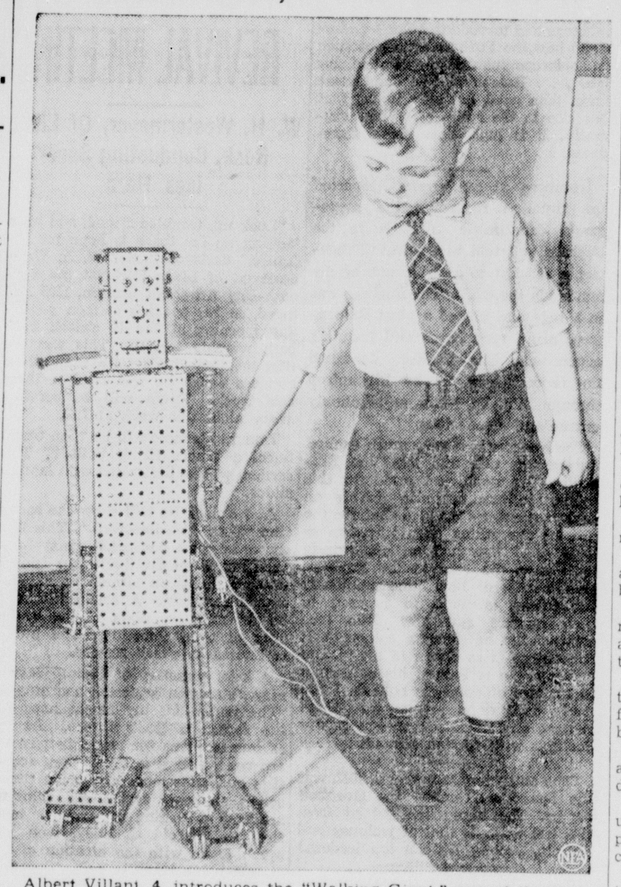
Newest Toy Takes a Stroll



Albert Villani, 4, introduces the "Walking Giant," one of the new toys on display at New York's Toy Fair. The "Walking Giant" is made from a mechanical set. And it really walks. There are over 100,000 playthings at the huge fair

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Mrs. Roosevelt, who often has supported President Truman's policies in the past, has been somewhat critical of the administration's shift of position on Palestine.

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This decision marked a major reversal in the New York governor's previous campaign tactics. He has contended in the past that he couldn't get away from his desk until about April 15.

From the dewey camp came reports that surveys show MacArthur leading in Wisconsin. Thye said that while he has no direct check, an intensive campaign is being put on in Wisconsin for the general.

Dewey openly is out to beat Stassen in Wisconsin. If he can top Stassen in the number of delegates he will still be very much in the race, even though MacArthur wins more delegates than either.

Stassen, on the other hand, would get a big boost if he can poll more than Dewey.

Dewey took 15 of Wisconsin delegates in 1944, when the state had an allotment of 24 delegates—even though he asked his friends not to run him there. Stassen got four, MacArthur three and two were unpledged.

In a companion popularity primary, MacArthur rolled up 102,421 votes as the only entry. However, Dewey got 21,036 write in votes and Stassen 7,923 in that category.

In Nebraska, Dewey butts heads with Taft for the first time in a primary which has no direct bearing on the complexion of the state's 15-member delegation to the convention.

Defeats for Dewey in Wisconsin and Nebraska might go a long way toward crimping his style as a major candidate. If he beats Stassen in Nebraska, he can ride along until the May 21 Oregon primary sheds some light on far western sentiment.

A double victory for Dewey, of course, would put him on the way toward the same kind of situation as in 1944 when he won the nomination no-contest.

FOREIGN AID BILL

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late Tuesday or sometime Wednesday.

There may be some changes—to tighten up on exports to Russia and to put in $220,000,000 of economic help for Japan, Korea and the Ryukyu Islands, for instance. But Vorys and Bloom predict the bill is going through pretty much "as is."

After that, the Senate and House will have to settle some differences. That will take several days.

But congressional leaders say they are sure the bill will be at the White House for the president to sign early in April.

The administration wants the bill to be a law before April 18. That is the date for an election in Italy in which Communists are trying to make a strong show.

The Senate is handling foreign aid in several bills, the House in one.

The Senate already has passed a $5,300,000,000 European recovery program and a $275,000,000 military aid bill for Greece and Turkey. It expects to act next week on a $463,000,000 Chinese aid bill which would permit use of $100,000,000 in any way the Chinese government sees fit. That includes military uses.

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JES' RAMBLIN'

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steps toward a broader future. The Central Baptists will lay the cornerstone out Lee avenue for the new auditorium, which will be 43 feet by 140 and will have a tower 40 feet above the structure. There will be classrooms, offices and all appurtenances of a structure of this nature as designed by Architect H. H. Land.

TROOPS FIGHT ON COSTA RICAN COAST

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, March 27.—(AP)—Rebel and government troops fought at the seacoast city of Dominical last night in Costa Rica's civil war.

Dominical is on the Pacific south of San Jose, the capital. Government forces established a strongpoint there last week to begin an assault on rebel Chieftain Jose Figueres.

Fighting lulled south of Cartago, which is some 30 miles southeast of San Jose. It is in this area that rebels and government forces fought on the steep slopes of Cerro de La Muret (hill of death) this week.

Figueres, who wants to put Otilio Ulate Blanco in as president of Costa Rica, has claimed his forces control about a third of Costa Rica—the southern part.

Ulate was elected president in February, but on March 1 Congress annulled the vote, upholding fraud charges brought by Rafael Calderon Guardia, government-backed candidate.

T. E. LYNCH DIES, FUNERAL PLANS ARE INCOMPLETE

Thomas Edgar Lynch, 64, 706 Grammont street, died last night at 10:10 o'clock.

Mr. Lynch is survived by his wife, Mrs. Emma Lynch; a son, J. C. Lynch; and a brother, C. A. Lynch, Monroe.

Funeral arrangements, being handled by Davis-Lawhead Funeral Home, had not been completed late last night, but burial will take place at Springhill.

Area of the sun's surface is 12,000 times greater than that of the earth, and its volume is 1,300,000 times greater.

TAXPAYER — Georgieholl Elizabeth Muller, 8 months old, plays with her social security card at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. R. Muller of New Orleans. The young lady poses for movie ads and must pay taxes on her earnings.

German Industry Produces Cars for Export

Germany's once-mighty industry, bombed and blasted by the Allies, is making a comeback. Here are the first automobiles to be exported by the Opel firm since the war's end. These Opel "Olympia" two-door sedans are pictured at Ruesselsheim, ready for shipment to Antwerp, Belgium. The company is also fulfilling contracts with Holland and Switzerland.

AMERICAN

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fer the first definite opportunity to make use of the United Nations charter insofar as it refers to the organization of regional systems within the international structure established at the San Francisco conference.

Nations outside the hemisphere have a definite stake in the deliberations. To Great Britain and other custodians of colonial territory in the Western Hemisphere the newly raised outcry against colonialism makes the conference of singular importance.

During the San Francisco conference Latin American nations and the United States fought to prevent non-American nations from sharing the right to intervene in strictly American affairs. They agreed to consider the regional system a branch of the United Nations' tree but insisted on a certain margin of independence and freedom of action.

Once the United Nations charter was ratified, the American republics began to consider the reorganization of their hemispheric structure in accordance with the U. N. charter and U. N. organization.

The Pan-American Union's governing board already has announced a project for a constitutive pact which will be presented to the conference as a basis for discussion.

One of the clauses of the projected pact refers to the creation of a permanent defense council. Argentina has announced its opposition to a council under the control of the governing board. It desires instead to make the council responsible directly to the American governments. The issue promises to provoke considerable debate.

The conference is likely to be an outlet for forceful expression of Latin America's old desire for economic independence. Many Latin American nations consider the forthcoming economic discussions the most important issue.

Generally, Latin America' economy is based on its role of supplier of raw materials for the great industrial nations. The feeding of raw material to these nations and the continued delay in industrialization have been sore points for many a Latin American patriot.

Latin America's insistence on industrial development runs counter to the United States' desire for more free trade and lower tariff barriers. The majority of the republics will fight any attempt to weaken the protection now accorded their national industries.

Collinston

Mrs. Windsor Puckett was hostess to the Woman's Society of Christian Service when it held its monthly business-study meeting. Mrs. A. J. Tarver opened the business session with prayer. The president, Mrs. Puckett, appointed Mrs. B. W. Hopgood, Mrs. Guy Boyd, and Mrs. W. T. Griffin as a committee to make plans for a youth recreation program.

The opening chapters of "Ten Thousand Years in China," by Richard Baker, was presented in a most interesting manner by Mrs. Alton Norsworthy. These chapters dealt with the introduction of opium into China by British exploiters, causing the Chinese to regard all white men as "foreign devils" and making missionaries' work there more difficult. Interesting descriptions of the delicate carvings and art work of the Chinese was also told.

Mrs. Puckett served her guests a fruit salad course with coffee during the social hour. Present were Mrs. Tarver, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Hopgood, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Alton Norsworthy, Mrs. W. B. Norsworthy, Mrs. John Gobble, Mrs. C. L. Mason, Mrs. R. O. Richards, Mrs. A. H. Harper, Miss Marie Hodges, and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Allen, of Fairbanks, were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gullatt and small sons, of Ruston, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Barnes and infant son, of Winnsboro, visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Torris Eldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hodges, of Arcadia, visited here recently with his mother, Mrs. Lena Hodges, and family.

Mrs. A. J. Tarver placed attractive arrangements of spring blossoms in the reception suite of her home when she entertained with four tables of bridge. She was assisted by Misses Walter May Dalgarn and Ann Boyd in serving delectable sandwiches and confections with coffee thoughout the evening.

High, low and consolation prizes were presented to Mrs. G. W. Dalgran, Mrs. Clarence Mason, and Mrs. Alton Norsworthy. Others playing were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Pyron, Mrs. Jack Waldrop, Mrs. David Pipes, Mrs. W. B. Norsworthy, Mrs. W. T. Griffin, Mrs. B. W. Hopgood, Mrs. John Caldwell, Mrs. J. T. Howell, Mrs. H. A. Spencer, and Mrs. Windsor Puckett.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Wade, of Monroe, and Miss Mary Evelyn Durden and Mr. Robert Marlatt, of Bastrop, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Harkness.

Mrs. James Shamblin and little daughter, Mary Alta, of Rayville, were week-end house guests of Mrs. G. W. Dalgran.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thompson have had as guests her sister, Mrs. Cecil Cheek, Mr. Cheek, and son, Rex, of Winnsboro.

The Collinston P.-T. A. was represented at the 5th district meeting in Bastrop by its president, Mrs. A. H. Harper.

Miss Dorothy Trippe and Miss Willie Harper spent a few days at home from their nursing duties at St. Francis sanitarium.

Tallulah

Mrs. J. Roy Medlin has returned from Alexandria where she attended a curriculum planning committee for home economics courses for Louisiana high schools. Mrs. Medlin has served on the curriculum committee for several years.

Dr. George M. Webb, formerly of Tallulah, has returned here to reside and has his office in the Madison Sanitarium. Dr. Webb graduated from the Louisiana State University School of Medicine, served three years with the Charity Hospital in Shreveport and with the armed forces, having spent thirty-seven months overseas. Prior to coming to Tallulah he has been practicing in McGehee, Ark.

The Tallulah Book Club will sponsor the Cancer Fund Drive in Madison parish under the leadership of Mrs. R. L. Bailey. She will be assisted by Mrs. E. B. Schicker, Mrs. Richard Almond, Mrs. W. L. Rountree, Mrs. Claude Grimes and Mrs. Earl Johnson. The campaign will begin the first week in April.

W. M. "Bill" Sheppard of Pine Bluff, Ark., was the guest speaker at a recent meeting of the Tallulah Rotary Club at a recent meeting. He delivered an outstanding address which was received with enthusiastic approval by members of the club.

Miss Nancy Sparling who has been a patient at the Foundation Hospital in New Orleans returned to her home Friday. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sparling. Her condition is improved.

FIRE ALARM

Firemen of company 4 extinguished a grass blaze on the 4600 block of South Grand street at 6 p. m. yesterday.

Going Up?

Joan Anderson, long-limbed Youngstown, O., beauty, is a leading contender for the title of Miss Stardust of 1948. This nation-wide beauty contest drew over 25,000 entrants in 1947.

FINNS

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ment had been informed by now of what Russia actually is demanding in the negotiations for a pact.

Finnish political quarters theorized that the next move in the negotiations was up to the Finns.

Dispatches from Moscow said Izvestia, the government newspaper, in an article by Peter Frinin struck out strongly at "Norwegian diehards" and "ruling circles" for their present policy.

Norway has a common frontier with Russia for a short distance in the arctic north above Finland. (There have been recent reports, all denied officially, that Russia has put out feelers to Norway for a defense pact similar to that she is asking of Finland).

Marion

Mrs. Ruth Gill of Shreveport spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Allie Taunton.

Mrs. Mollie Stancil of Chatham spent several days of last week here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mike of Marthaville, were the week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mike.

Miss Elaine Jarmon, who is taking graduate work at Peabody College, in Nashville, was at home last week.

Sgt. and Mrs. John Zeigler and baby of Doyline spent several days of last week here with their parents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reeves of Alexandria were the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Reeves, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Eula O'Bannon of Bernice spent Saturday here with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Gulley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Taylor, little son, James Earl, and Mrs. Lauderback were Saturday visitors in Monroe.

WIFE OF PLANTER BURNED TO DEATH

Winnsboro Woman Succumbs After Seared In Blazing Gasoline Fire

WINNSBORO, March 27.—(Special)—Mrs. Mabel Young Buie, 52, wife of a prominent Franklin parish planter, died at 10:30 tonight in a local clinic from severe burns received around 11 a. m., when fire destroyed her home in the center of town.

A daughter, Jimmie, 18, present in the house when the blaze started, escaped without injury.

Mrs. Buie was engaged in painting in the kitchen of her home, using gasoline as a cleaning fluid. It is believed that the gasoline exploded when taken too close to a gas heater.

She was brought from the blazing residence by a huge Negro woman, employed by the Buies as a cook, who smashed down the front door to gain entrance to the house. Mrs. Buie was found lying on a bed, wrapped completely in blankets.

The cook carried Mrs. Buie to a waiting automobile although the blankets were blazing. The injured woman was rushed to the Rogers Clinic but failed to overcome the effects of the burns which covered her body.

Mrs. Buie's daughter, Jimmie was in a front section of the building when she heard the explosion in the kitchen. She rushed out the front door to the yard, pulling the door closed behind her. A spring lock on the door snapped, blocking attempts to enter the building until the colored cook arrived to kick her way in.

Mrs. Buie is survived by her husband, Jim Buie, and her daughter, Jimmie, a student at La. Tech at Ruston.

Other survivors include two brothers, Dr. T. Y. Young of Port Arthur, Tex., A. B. Young of Slaughter, La.; and five sisters, Mrs. Sally Herang of Slaughter, Miss Georgia Young of Baton Rouge, Miss Florence Young of Wisner, Mrs. Henry W. Gilbert of Wisner, and Mrs. Mary Kincaid of Winnsboro.

Final services will be held Monday at 2 p. m. at the First Methodist church in Winnsboro. The Rev. M. S. Robertson, pastor of the church, will officiate.

Interment, under the direction of the First National Funeral Home of Winnsboro, will follow at the Buie cemetery, near Fort Necessity.

The body will lie in state at the chapel of the Winnsboro funeral home until services.

TODAY'S "QUIZ"

QUESTION: How will I find an apartment?
ANSWER: Thru a Wanted to Rent Ad.
QUESTION: How will I find a used bike?
ANSWER: Thru a Wanted Ad.
QUESTION: How will I find a man to make repairs on my home?
ANSWER: Thru the Business Service Want Ads.
QUESTION: How will I find some used lumber?
ANSWER: Thru a Wanted to Buy Ad.
QUESTION: How will I find a used gun?
ANSWER: Thru a Sale Miscellaneous Want Ad.
QUESTION: How will I find a used stove?
ANSWER: Thru a Wanted to Buy Want Ad.

The WANT ADS are "WANT AIDS"

Phone 4800

ACCUSED FARMER ATTENDS FUNERAL

Youth Held In Slaying Of Sweetheart Allowed To Watch Last Rites

MARSHALL, Mich., March 27.—(AP)—A 20-year-old farmer, who is accused of slaying his high school sweetheart, was scheduled for a few minutes of partial freedom today to attend her funeral.

Earl Kent's request that he be allowed to attend services for pretty Flavian Watkins, 16, was granted by Calhoun county authorities.

The boy will be taken from his jail cell a few minutes before the funeral time and given into custody of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kent of Union City.

He will attend the simple rites in a Union City funeral parlor and then witness the burial in a Burlington Cemetery.

Deputy sheriffs will keep a constant watch over Kent during the period of his freedom.

After the funeral, he will be lodged in jail over the Easter week-end with his next appearance listed for Wednesday in justice court.

Kent stood mute yesterday when arraigned before Justice of the Peace R. D. Scott and he was held without bond for Wednesday's examination.

The body of the girl was found Wednesday night in the side-drive of her home. A single .22 caliber shot had been fired into her chest and the discarded rifle was 62 feet from the body.

Flavian died some hours later at Coldwater Hospital without regaining consciousness.

Young Kent has steadfastly denied any part in the shooting.

He told police he went to Flavian's home the night of the shooting and broke off his engagement to her.

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which brought Sant's arrest on charges filed in Hinds County, Miss. After questioning he signed a statement that he killed the girl with a blackjack.

The statement said Sant and his brother had been celebrating the holiday in a Jackson tourist camp, and that Edward passed the accident scene in a pickup truck, saw the girl by the roadside and picked her up.

Leaving the highway, he drove to an abandoned shack and made advances to the girl. When she refused he became furious and beat her with a blackjack.

She jumped from the truck and he caught her and beat her some more. The statement continued that he couldn't remember what happened until he returned to the tourist camp alone.

Sant came here shortly after the girl's disappearance. He lived with his mother, a Clovis resident, and obtained work as gravedigger and caretaker at the Clovis Cemetery. Later he married Maggie Madelyn Byford of Clovis. He met his wife here while on a furlough in 1945.

Sant is a war veteran. He said he served with the 27th division infantry and was wounded on the head in Okinawa.

MILITARY HEADS

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for anti-submarine warfare to the navy. The air force at one phase of World War II sought to gain command of the business of hunting down and destroying enemy submarines.

A conflict between the army and the marines, almost as old as the two services, came in for settlement. The paper said the primary job of the marine corps is to develop techniques and equipment for amphibious operations and then added:

"The marine corps will not build up a second land army."

The joint chiefs of staff organization is made up of Gen. Omar Bradley, army; Admiral Louis E. Denfeld, navy; Gen. Carl Spaatz, air; Admiral William D. Leahy, chief of staff to the president.

Did Stomach Ulcer Pains Make Jack Spratt Eat No Fat?

Modern day "Jack Spratts" who eat no fat because of after-eating pains should read this message of hope. If excess stomach acidity causes you distress after eating, or painful heartburn, gas, sour stomach, indigestion, even stomach ulcer pains, then try Udga for quick relief. Udga Tablets contain 3 proven fast-acting medicinal ingredients. Like a doctor's prescription, Udga works soothingly and fast. More than 210 million sold since 1928. Get a 25c box of Udga and if you, too, don't get amazing relief within ½ hour, you get DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK.

WIN IN TECH ELECTION

Mary Ghena Akin (top) of Sibley, Webster parish, has been elected president of the Women's League at Louisiana Tech by the coeds of the college. Other officers are, lower row, left to right: Bonnie Hearn, Ruston, vice president; Leita Baker, Monroe, treasurer, and Carolyn Hendrickson, Texarkana, secretary.

TWISTERS

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to 47th streets. Traffic was detoured in that section.

Last night's tornadoes killed 19 persons in Indiana, three in Alabama and one in Louisiana. Twisters, or gales, also struck parts of Illinois, Missouri, Georgia, Mississippi, and Tennessee.

The twisters followed by exactly one week a similar series of tornadoes that struck from Texas to New York, killing 42 persons. Thirteen persons also were killed in gales that swept Oklahoma Thursday.

West Central Indiana was hardest hit by the new tornadoes. Twelve were killed in the little town of Coatesville, which has 350 population. The winds smashed 25 homes and several business houses there.

Danville, a town of 2,000 population 20 miles west of Indianapolis, was half flattened by the winds, but only one person was killed. Three were dead at Hadley, a small community between Danville and Coatesville; one in Clay county, 40 miles southwest of Danville, one near Fortville, 20 miles northeast of Indianapolis and one at Crawfordsville.

Red Cross disaster units and state police moved quickly into Coatesville. A temporary hospital was set up in a school building and a morgue in a business building.

Forty-six Indiana storm sufferers were in hospitals and several others received first aid treatment for less serious injuries.

Col. Robert Rossow, superintendent of the Indiana state police, said property damage would run "in the millions."

Tornado damage of more than $100,000 was caused in Illinois and Missouri, although only two persons were injured. The twister hit St. Charles county, Mo., skipped across the Missouri river and then struck again in southwestern Illinois. Damage to Smart field, an inactiviated navy training base near St. Charles, Mo., was estimated at $100,000.

A mother and two sons were killed near Paris, Ill., close to the storm area, in an automobile-truck collision during a hail storm.

Three persons were killed and at least 40 injured at Aliceville, Ala., which was hit by two tornadoes an hour apart. The first did little damage but the second heavily damaged 15 to 20 homes in the residential area and ripped down power lines. Parts of the Negro residential area were flattened.

Across the state, near the Georgia boundary, a tornado ripped into Opelika, Ala. Cartersville, Ga., also was hit. The Opelika twister unroofed houses and the railroad freight station and demolished a group of buildings in the warehouse district. Three persons were injured. Damage was estimated unofficially at several hundred thousand dollars. At Cartersville, at least four persons were injured and damage was estimated at 100,000.

Twisters also struck Birmingham, Ala., and Belzoni, Miss. Chattanooga, Tenn., was raked by stiff winds that damaged six dwellings, three stores and a church.

Windstorms in Louisiana and Mississippi brought death to one person, injured eight others and caused thousands of dollars damage to property late Friday and early Saturday.

The disturbances stretched from New Orleans in spots to the Mississippi Delta. The casualties were confined to Concordia parish, in eastern Louisiana.

There a tornado struck the Lake St. John section, seven miles north of Ferriday, about 11 o'clock Friday night, killing 12-year-old Ebenezer Redvine, injuring eight others, and making about 20 homeless. (All are Negroes on the plantation of S. L. Maxwell of Ferriday.)

Another windstorm caused damage estimated at $12,000 to two industrial plants at Belzoni, Miss.

High winds, hail and rainstorms swept portions of the Mississippi Delta, but no injuries were reported there.

Reports from Greenwood, Miss., said that farm properties were damaged south and east of that city in LeFlore county. A number of tenant houses were damaged in scattered areas of LeFlore county.

Lightning, attending rainstorms caused damage in both Greenwood and Greenville, Miss., setting a residence afire in Greenwood, and temporarily disrupting telephone and light service in Greenville.

A disturbance, which the weather bureau classed as a strong squall, hit the Allard section of New Orleans near City Park early Saturday and toppled some huge oaks that had withstood the hurricane of last Sept. 19.

Several houses in New Orleans were damaged by the storm, which struck about 1 a. m. The weather bureau said the highst winds recorded at New Orleans were 25 miles per hour, but residents in the affected area said peaks appeared much stronger than that.

Rainfall of 1.87 inches was recorded in New Orleans during the accompanying downpour.

The squally condition heralded the approach of cooler weather, for the Louisiana-Mississippi area for Easter.

Fair weather was predicted all around for Sunday.

TRADITIONAL

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the 14th time when dawn breaks at the Shrine O Ages on the south rim of the canyon in Arizona. At the same time the Yaqui Indians will hold their Easter Pagan-Christian ceremonies near two other cities in the state—Tucson and Phoenix.

A custom begun 195 years ago will be followed at Bethlehem, Pa., when a trombone choir opens services of the Central Moravian Church.

A total of more than half a million persons are expected to attend the various special dawn rituals. Seventy five thousand are expected at Fort Lincoln, on the outskirts of Washington, D. C.; 65,000 at Chicago's Soldier Field; 30,000 at the Garden of the Gods at Colorado Springs; 20,000 at Hollywood Bowl, and 40,000 to 50,000 at the Orange Bowl in Miami.

The weather may nip some of the services.

The forecast ranged from snow flurries in northern New England and northern New York to sunshine and mild temperatures in the great plains and the southern Rockies.

NEWSMAN FACES TRIAL FOR TREASON MONDAY

BOSTON, March 27.—(AP)—Robert Henry Best, erstwhile newsman accused of broadcasting Nazi propaganda in wartime, goes on trial for treason Monday, intent on conducting his own defense.

The 51-year old radio commentator, a native of Sumpter, S. C., is the second man to be tried in Boston within a year on a charge of betraying his country.

Douglas Chandler of Baltimore was convicted last June of treasonable utterances over radio Berlin and now is serving a life sentence.

The maximum penalty for treason is death. It ranges downward to a five year sentence and a $10,000 fine.

Yale University was founded by ten ministers, at Saybrook, Connecticut in 1701. It was moved to New Haven in 1716.

Some Dont's for Pimples

Don't scratch—don't squeeze pimples—you risk infection! Don't suffer from itching pimples, angry red blotches, eczema or other irritations when soothing Peterson's Ointment offers you fast relief. Makes skin look better, feel better, 35c all druggists. One application delights or money back. Peterson's Ointment allays itchy feet, cracks between toes.—Adv.

PLAN IMPROVED SCOUT PROGRAM

Executive Board Holds Council Review And Planning Conference

Plans for the expansion and improvement of the Scouting program in the Ouachita Valley Council area were made by the executive board of the council at a special council review and planning conference held Thursday night, at the Hotel Virginia, in Monroe. This conference, presided over by A. B. Clarkson, council president, was attended by board members and other key Scouters representing the eight districts of the 15-parish Ouachita Valley Council.

The status of the council in many different respects was given by Kenneth Oliver, deputy regional executive, as he reviewed the council's progress of the last two years. Oliver outlined the progress in detail for each operating committee which exists in the council.

After the council review, special planning groups, headed by operating committee chairmen and consisting of representatives from the districts, met and formulated plans for the council program for the coming year.

E. J. Foster, headed the leadership training group in which extensive training plans for all Scouters in the council were made. Plans for a Scoutmaster's training course to be held at Camp Ki-Ro-Li April 10-11 were announced and attendance of all troop leaders, as well as committeemen, was urged by the training committee. This group also discussed plans for a special "Get Acquainted with Scouting" conference to be held for all new troop committees, as well as for existing committees where needed. New films which are now in the council for use in this training were announced to be available to all districts as needed. It was also decided that more films would be purchased for the training program, as well as a movie projector, in order to facilitate and improve the new outlined program. The training committee also discussed new requirements for the Scouters training award and Foster urged that every Scouter in the council work toward obtaining one of the Scouters' training awards.

The organization and extension committee, in its planning conference, set up a definite plan for the organization of new units, which included training of the new leaders and committeemen before the organization is completed. They also went on record as approving the charter review plan for all troops and packs and a special public charter award ceremony for all units. The organization and extension committee also recommended a plan for an award to all units meeting certain membership objectives for 1948. This award will be made at the 1948 council annual meeting.

Joe Dante, of Winnsboro, presided over the advancement committee meeting, in which plans were made to improve all boards of review and courts of honor with more impressive programs and ceremonies. The merit badge program in Scouting was also discussed in this group, as well as the new realigned requirements in the Scouting advancement program.

The health and safety committee and the camping and activities committee, headed by H. K. Litton and T. John, met together and discussed plans for special activities and camping programs throughout the council during the coming year. This group recommended that every district conduct a district camporee some time in the spring, as well as the fall activity on a district basis some time after school begins in the fall. This group also recommended that the program of Camp Ki-Ro-Li be on a troop basis with troops from the council participating on the program with their own leaders. They announced that several men from the council would attend the special national camping and aquatics school in order to get ideas that will improve the Camp Ki-Ro-Li program. Mr. Litton stated that his committee planned to inspect all camp sites, assist with the physical examinations of all Scouts going to camp, and make inspections of every unit meeting place, in order to bring the meeting rooms up to the required health and safety standards. He also recommended that all transportation used by Scouts be insured and inspected by the health and safety committee.

As a closing feature of the meeting, all planning groups assembled and President Clarkson had each committee chairman make a brief report on the actions and recommendations of his committee group meeting. Clarkson urged attendance at the Scoutmasters' training course in April and also announced dates and places for regional annual meetings, and stated that he would like for several Scouters to represent the council at these meetings.

YUGOSLAVS

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treaty the Americans and British have 10,000 troops—5,000 each—in their zone and the Yugoslavs are limited to 5,000 in their zone.

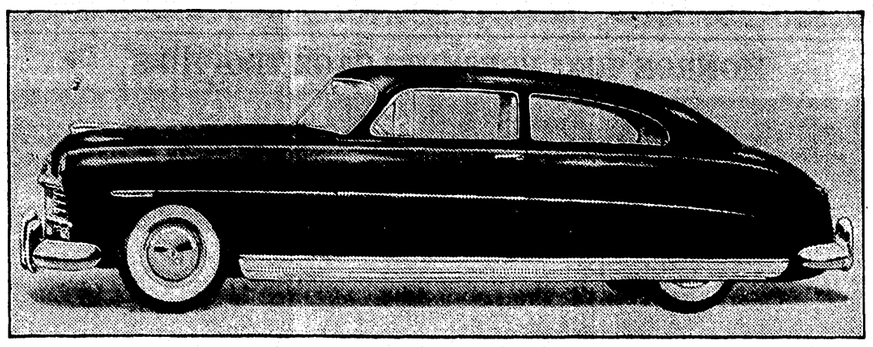
Gen. Airey said four days ago that no unusual Yugoslav troop movements had been noted around the British-American zone, which is bounded on the north and east by Yugoslav territory as well as the Yugoslav free zone territory.

The U. S. light cruiser Manchester arrived in Trieste today shortly after departure of the Dayton. Shore leave was given men aboard, including marines in numbers small enough to comply with the 5,000 limit on American occupation troops.

The reports of troop movements came as Trieste, jittery from a week of waiting for action on the western powers' proposal of last Saturday for its return to Italy, appeared resigned to a stalemate on its future.

Most Italian and British-American sources viewed a statement yesterday by Marshal Tito as paving the way for a Russian refusal to meet immediately the British-American-French proposal for return of the young free territory to Italy.

New Hudson Super Series Two-Door Broughams In Production



Hudson announces production of new Hudson Super-Six Series Two-Door Broughams, which are being shipped to dealers throughout the United States. The Broughams are powered by an entirely new 121 horsepower Super-Six engine, the most powerful mass-produced American six-cylinder passenger-car engine on the market. They have a 124-inch wheelbase. Ten standard, two special body colors and five two-tone color combinations are offered. The new Hudson combines for the first time in any motor car a low center of gravity with increased interior roominess, and a passenger compartment completely cradled between the axles. The car has a lower center of gravity than any other American automobile, is only five feet high and provides more head room than any other mass-produced automobile. Since floor is at a lower level than door openings, passengers upon entering step down into the car, not up on it. It has the roomiest seats, with rear seat passengers seated not only ahead of the rear axle, but completely ahead of the rear wheels.

PLANES USED

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were wounded in the fighting which raged near Solomon's Pools and one Jew was killed by an Arab sniper at Ramat Rachel. The same informant claimed the Arabs suffered at least 30 casualties in the convoy battle.

Gunfire swept Jerusalem only a few hours before church bells will ring for Easter Sunday. Bullets whined near the Church of the Holy Sepulcher, said to be the site of the tomb of Christ's ressurrection.

The planes used by the Jews in the convoy battle were not described in detail. The Jews are believed to possess only small commercial aircraft. However, military observers said such planes may be fitted for carrying bombs up to 25 pounds under each wing.

One British military armored car sent to the scene was disabled. The Arabs hammered five Jewish armored cars believed to contain reinforcements dispatched to help the convoy. Two trucks of the convoy were aflame.

Police said the Arabs manned 17 road blocks between Bethlehem and Kfar Etzion. An R. A. F. pilot sighted the Jewish aircraft circling over the battleground.

A government spokesman said the convoy travelled southward from Jerusalem to Kfar Etzion before dawn without reporting to British security forces. It was making the return journey when the Arab attack began.

Jerusalem and its suburbs were swept tonight by a five-mile line of gunfire in the bitter Arab-Jewish conflict. The line extended from Beit Jala, north of Bethlehem, to the commercial center in midtown Jerusalem.

Units of the British Warwickshire regiment moved up along the walls of the old city through the Valley of Gehenna (Hell). The Tommies carried large mortars.

For three hours automatic weapons and snipers' rifles barked. Grenades and mortar shells burst in desolate Montefiore. Muffled explosions sounded from the downtown Mamillah road area.

For a few moments the firing halted. Then it resumed again, increasing in intensity in the direction of Montefiore. New Arab concentrations were reported east of Jerusalem on the Tel Aviv road.

Despite the civil war, Jerusalem's churchmen will conduct all day services in Christendom's holiest place on earth tomorrow to keep alive the Easter tradition. But few worshippers will respond to the Easter church bells.

The worshippers will pass through battered gun-swept streets. There will be no parade of Easter hats here—only the parade of armed men and vehicles moving out to keep Palestine's highways open.

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Byrd, with the troop for the past eleven years, has been sergeant approximately three years. A resident of Monroe for the past 25 years, Byrd married the former Miss Louise Cassidy of Monroe, and has two daughters, Barbara, 9, and Mary Elizabeth, 12, and a 7-year-old son, Richard Roy.

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wegian arms and use of Norwegian territory for American and British bases.

In administration and State department opinion the strongest assurance to Western Europe is a United States able and ready to act against Russia, if necessary. But a major aim of American policy is to strengthen the Europeans so they also will be ready and able to act.

Thus the American government has encouraged formation of the Western European Union and wants it to go much further than the five nations it already tentatively embraces—Britain, France, Belgium, The Netherlands, and Luxembourg.

One great aim of the European recovery plan in which 16 European nations are cooperating is to make the Europeans so strong they would stand virtually as their own counter-force against Russia. America and a revived Europe together would present a combination Russia would not dare fight, according to this reasoning.

But the plan was laid down and the Western European Union was conceived under a much slower tempo than the speed of today's events. The fate of Norway might be decided, for instance, in terms of weeks rather than years.

It is this state of affairs which has caused officials here to press work on the military phases of European recovery. The recovery plan with its expected $5,300,000,000 is now trimmed to a fairly close margin. To make it work, the European countries are supposed to produce a lot of civilian goods on their own. If they have to reduce this production in order to turn out arms, the plan will be thrown out of kilter and might require additional funds to make up the difference.

This leads to the alternative of sending American arms, as available, to friendly European countries that want them. This operation would be kept separate from the economic side of help to Europe and would be run, according to present thinking, by the armed forces.

INJUNCTION

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the order against the parent organization does not have the desired effect.

Gerhard Van Arkel, ITU counsel, said the union "probably will appeal."

He said in Washington that the decision will not be made until the order can be read.

Woodruff Randolph, ITU president who was restrained with other international officers, was not available for comment.

Elisha Hanson, counsel for the American Newspaper Publishers Association, said in Washington that the Swygert injunction opens the way for stabilization of labor relations in the industry.

The injunction suit grew out of ANPA charges before the NLBR of Taft-Hartley law violations by the ITU.

REDS SAY TRIESTE MAY START WAR

Italian Communist Bosses Say America, Britain Hope To Cause Trouble

ROME, March 27.—(AP)—Italy's Communist boss, Palmiro Togliatti, told a crowd of 100,000 today the three western powers "want to use Trieste to start another war."

As the Moscow-trained leader spoke in Rome's great Piazza Del Popolo, a plane droned overhead, dumping anti-Communist leaflets. The handbills urged the crowd to go to St. Peter's tomorrow to "wish the pope a happy Easter."

Sections of the crowd seemed disappointed in the speech, which had been widely heralded in advance by posters as the Communist answer to the British-American-French proposal of a week ago to return the free state territory of Trieste to Italy. Many drifted away during Togliatti's 75-minute address.

Togliatti had been expected to make heavy, direct attacks on the Italian government, as well as on the United States. But he devoted his talk mainly to Trieste.

The Communists apparently are preparing a propaganda campaign to convince voters before the crucial April 18 elections that the Communist party—and not the western powers—originated the idea of giving Trieste back to Italy. Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia aided this line with a statement at Belgrade yesterday that there are no Italo-Jugoslav issues which cannot be settled peacefully, especially if Communists are in power in both countries.

DEATHS

HENRY L. ROGERS

Funeral services for Henry L. Rogers, 77, who died Saturday afternoon in a local hospital, will be held at 3 p. m. Sunday at the chapel of the Hall Funeral Home with the Rev. R. T. Watson, officiating. Interment will follow in the Riverview Burial Park.

Mr. Rogers is survived by one sister, Mrs. Belle Merryweather of Chicago.

Pallbearers will be T. E. Sturgeon, J. M. Jones, A. W. Hampton, Charles Halley, F. R. Shaffer and Mr. Jackson.

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ACCUSED FARMER ATTENDS FUNERAL

Youth Held In Slaying Of Sweetheart Allowed To Watch Last Rites

MARSHALL, Mich., March 27.—(AP)—A 20-year-old farmer, who is accused of slaying his high school sweetheart, was scheduled for a few minutes of partial freedom today to attend her funeral.

Earl Kent's request that he be allowed to attend services for pretty Flavian Watkins, 16, was granted by Calhoun county authorities.

The boy will be taken from his jail cell a few minutes before the funeral time and given into custody of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kent of Union City.

He will attend the simple rites in a Union City funeral parlor and then witness the burial in a Burlington Cemetery.

Deputy sheriffs will keep a constant watch over Kent during the period of his freedom.

After the funeral, he will be lodged in jail over the Easter week-end with his next appearance listed for Wednesday in justice court.

Kent stood mute yesterday when arraigned before Justice of the Peace R. D. Scott and he was held without bond for Wednesday's examination.

The body of the girl was found Wednesday night in the side-drive of her home. A single .22 caliber shot had been fired into her chest and the discarded rifle was 62 feet from the body.

Flavian died some hours later at Coldwater Hospital without regaining consciousness.

Young Kent has steadfastly denied any part in the shooting.

He told police he went to Flavian's home the night of the shooting and broke off his engagement to her.

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which brought Sant's arrest on charges filed in Hinds County, Miss. After questioning he signed a statement that he killed the girl with a blackjack.

The statement said Sant and his brother had been celebrating the holiday in a Jackson tourist camp, and that Edward passed the accident scene in a pickup truck, saw the girl by the roadside and picked her up.

Leaving the highway, he drove to an abandoned shack and made advances to the girl. When she refused he became furious and beat her with a blackjack.

She jumped from the truck and he caught her and beat her some more. The statement continued that he couldn't remember what happened until he returned to the tourist camp alone.

Sant came here shortly after the girl's disappearance. He lived with his mother, a Clovis resident, and obtained work as gravedigger and caretaker at the Clovis Cemetery. Later he married Maggie Madelyn Byford of Clovis. He met his wife here while on a furlough in 1945.

Sant is a war veteran. He said he served with the 27th division infantry and was wounded on the head in Okinawa.

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for anti-submarine warfare to the navy. The air force at one phase of World War II sought to gain command of the business of hunting down and destroying enemy submarines.

A conflict between the army and the marines, almost as old as the two services, came in for settlement. The paper said the primary job of the marine corps is to develop techniques and equipment for amphibious operations and then added:

"The marine corps will not build up a second land army."

The joint chiefs of staff organization is made up of Gen. Omar Bradley, army; Admiral Louis E. Denfeld, navy; Gen. Carl Spaatz, air; Admiral William D. Leahy, chief of staff to the president.

Did Stomach Ulcer Pains Make Jack Spratt Eat No Fat?

Modern day "Jack Spratts" who eat no fat because of after-eating pains should read this message of hope. If excess stomach acidity causes you distress after eating, or painful heartburn, gas, sour stomach, indigestion, even stomach ulcer pains, then try Udga for quick relief. Udga Tablets contain 3 proven fast-acting medicinal ingredients. Like a doctor's prescription, Udga works soothingly and fast. More than 210 million sold since 1928. Get a 25c box of Udga and if you, too, don't get amazing relief within ½ hour, you get DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK.

WIN IN TECH ELECTION

Mary Ghena Akin (top) of Sibley, Webster parish, has been elected president of the Women's League at Louisiana Tech by the coeds of the college. Other officers are, lower row, left to right: Bonnie Hearn, Ruston, vice president; Leita Baker, Monroe, treasurer, and Carolyn Hendrickson, Texarkana, secretary.

TWISTERS

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to 47th streets. Traffic was detoured in that section.

Last night's tornadoes killed 19 persons in Indiana, three in Alabama and one in Louisiana. Twisters, or gales, also struck parts of Illinois, Missouri, Georgia, Mississippi, and Tennessee.

The twisters followed by exactly one week a similar series of tornadoes that struck from Texas to New York, killing 42 persons. Thirteen persons also were killed in gales that swept Oklahoma Thursday.

West Central Indiana was hardest hit by the new tornadoes. Twelve were killed in the little town of Coatesville, which has 350 population. The winds smashed 25 homes and several business houses there.

Danville, a town of 2,000 population 20 miles west of Indianapolis, was half flattened by the winds, but only one person was killed. Three were dead at Hadley, a small community between Danville and Coatesville; one in Clay county, 40 miles southwest of Danville, one near Fortville, 20 miles northeast of Indianapolis and one at Crawfordsville.

Red Cross disaster units and state police moved quickly into Coatesville. A temporary hospital was set up in a school building and a morgue in a business building.

Forty-six Indiana storm sufferers were in hospitals and several others received first aid treatment for less serious injuries.

Col. Robert Rossow, superintendent of the Indiana state police, said property damage would run "in the millions."

Tornado damage of more than $100,000 was caused in Illinois and Missouri, although only two persons were injured. The twister hit St. Charles county, Mo., skipped across the Missouri river and then struck again in southwestern Illinois. Damage to Smart field, an inactiviated navy training base near St. Charles, Mo., was estimated at $100,000.

A mother and two sons were killed near Paris, Ill., close to the storm area, in an automobile-truck collision during a hail storm.

Three persons were killed and at least 40 injured at Aliceville, Ala., which was hit by two tornadoes an hour apart. The first did little damage but the second heavily damaged 15 to 20 homes in the residential area and ripped down power lines. Parts of the Negro residential area were flattened.

Across the state, near the Georgia boundary, a tornado ripped into Opelika, Ala. Cartersville, Ga., also was hit. The Opelika twister unroofed houses and the railroad freight station and demolished a group of buildings in the warehouse district. Three persons were injured. Damage was estimated unofficially at several hundred thousand dollars. At Cartersville, at least four persons were injured and damage was estimated at 100,000.

Twisters also struck Birmingham, Ala., and Belzoni, Miss. Chattanooga, Tenn., was raked by stiff winds that damaged six dwellings, three stores and a church.

Windstorms in Louisiana and Mississippi brought death to one person, injured eight others and caused thousands of dollars damage to property late Friday and early Saturday.

The disturbances stretched from New Orleans in spots to the Mississippi Delta. The casualties were confined to Concordia parish, in eastern Louisiana.

There a tornado struck the Lake St. John section, seven miles north of Ferriday, about 11 o'clock Friday night, killing 12-year-old Ebenezer Redvine, injuring eight others, and making about 20 homeless. (All are Negroes on the plantation of S. L. Maxwell of Ferriday.)

Another windstorm caused damage estimated at $12,000 to two industrial plants at Belzoni, Miss.

High winds, hail and rainstorms swept portions of the Mississippi Delta, but no injuries were reported there.

Reports from Greenwood, Miss., said that farm properties were damaged south and east of that city in LeFlore county. A number of tenant houses were damaged in scattered areas of LeFlore county.

Lightning, attending rainstorms caused damage in both Greenwood and Greenville, Miss., setting a residence afire in Greenwood, and temporarily disrupting telephone and light service in Greenville.

A disturbance, which the weather bureau classed as a strong squall, hit the Allard section of New Orleans near City Park early Saturday and toppled some huge oaks that had withstood the hurricane of last Sept. 19.

Several houses in New Orleans were damaged by the storm, which struck about 1 a. m. The weather bureau said the highst winds recorded at New Orleans were 25 miles per hour, but residents in the affected area said peaks appeared much stronger than that.

Rainfall of 1.87 inches was recorded in New Orleans during the accompanying downpour.

The squally condition heralded the approach of cooler weather, for the Louisiana-Mississippi area for Easter.

Fair weather was predicted all around for Sunday.

TRADITIONAL

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the 14th time when dawn breaks at the Shrine O Ages on the south rim of the canyon in Arizona. At the same time the Yaqui Indians will hold their Easter Pagan-Christian ceremonies near two other cities in the state—Tucson and Phoenix.

A custom begun 195 years ago will be followed at Bethlehem, Pa., when a trombone choir opens services of the Central Moravian Church.

A total of more than half a million persons are expected to attend the various special dawn rituals. Seventy five thousand are expected at Fort Lincoln, on the outskirts of Washington, D. C.; 65,000 at Chicago's Soldier Field; 30,000 at the Garden of the Gods at Colorado Springs; 20,000 at Hollywood Bowl, and 40,000 to 50,000 at the Orange Bowl in Miami.

The weather may nip some of the services.

The forecast ranged from snow flurries in northern New England and northern New York to sunshine and mild temperatures in the great plains and the southern Rockies.

NEWSMAN FACES TRIAL FOR TREASON MONDAY

BOSTON, March 27.—(AP)—Robert Henry Best, erstwhile newsman accused of broadcasting Nazi propaganda in wartime, goes on trial for treason Monday, intent on conducting his own defense.

The 51-year old radio commentator, a native of Sumpter, S. C., is the second man to be tried in Boston within a year on a charge of betraying his country.

Douglas Chandler of Baltimore was convicted last June of treasonable utterances over radio Berlin and now is serving a life sentence.

The maximum penalty for treason is death. It ranges downward to a five year sentence and a $10,000 fine.

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PLAN IMPROVED SCOUT PROGRAM

Executive Board Holds Council Review And Planning Conference

Plans for the expansion and improvement of the Scouting program in the Ouachita Valley Council area were made by the executive board of the council at a special council review and planning conference held Thursday night, at the Hotel Virginia, in Monroe. This conference, presided over by A. B. Clarkson, council president, was attended by board members and other key Scouters representing the eight districts of the 15-parish Ouachita Valley Council.

The status of the council in many different respects was given by Kenneth Oliver, deputy regional executive, as he reviewed the council's progress of the last two years. Oliver outlined the progress in detail for each operating committee which exists in the council.

After the council review, special planning groups, headed by operating committee chairmen and consisting of representatives from the districts, met and formulated plans for the council program for the coming year.

E. J. Foster, headed the leadership training group in which extensive training plans for all Scouters in the council were made. Plans for a Scoutmaster's training course to be held at Camp Ki-Ro-Li April 10-11 were announced and attendance of all troop leaders, as well as committeemen, was urged by the training committee. This group also discussed plans for a special "Get Acquainted with Scouting" conference to be held for all new troop committees, as well as for existing committees where needed. New films which are now in the council for use in this training were announced to be available to all districts as needed. It was also decided that more films would be purchased for the training program, as well as a movie projector, in order to facilitate and improve the new outlined program. The training committee also discussed new requirements for the Scouters training award and Foster urged that every Scouter in the council work toward obtaining one of the Scouters' training awards.

The organization and extension committee, in its planning conference, set up a definite plan for the organization of new units, which included training of the new leaders and committeemen before the organization is completed. They also went on record as approving the charter review plan for all troops and packs and a special public charter award ceremony for all units. The organization and extension committee also recommended a plan for an award to all units meeting certain membership objectives for 1948. This award will be made at the 1948 council annual meeting.

Joe Dante, of Winnsboro, presided over the advancement committee meeting, in which plans were made to improve all boards of review and courts of honor with more impressive programs and ceremonies. The merit badge program in Scouting was also discussed in this group, as well as the new realigned requirements in the Scouting advancement program.

The health and safety committee and the camping and activities committee, headed by H. K. Litton and T. John, met together and discussed plans for special activities and camping programs throughout the council during the coming year. This group recommended that every district conduct a district camporee some time in the spring, as well as the fall activity on a district basis some time after school begins in the fall. This group also recommended that the program of Camp Ki-Ro-Li be on a troop basis with troops from the council participating on the program with their own leaders. They announced that several men from the council would attend the special national camping and aquatics school in order to get ideas that will improve the Camp Ki-Ro-Li program. Mr. Litton stated that his committee planned to inspect all camp sites, assist with the physical examinations of all Scouts going to camp, and make inspections of every unit meeting place, in order to bring the meeting rooms up to the required health and safety standards. He also recommended that all transportation used by Scouts be insured and inspected by the health and safety committee.

As a closing feature of the meeting, all planning groups assembled and President Clarkson had each committee chairman make a brief report on the actions and recommendations of his committee group meeting. Clarkson urged attendance at the Scoutmasters' training course in April and also announced dates and places for regional annual meetings, and stated that he would like for several Scouters to represent the council at these meetings.

YUGOSLAVS

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treaty the Americans and British have 10,000 troops—5,000 each—in their zone and the Yugoslavs are limited to 5,000 in their zone.

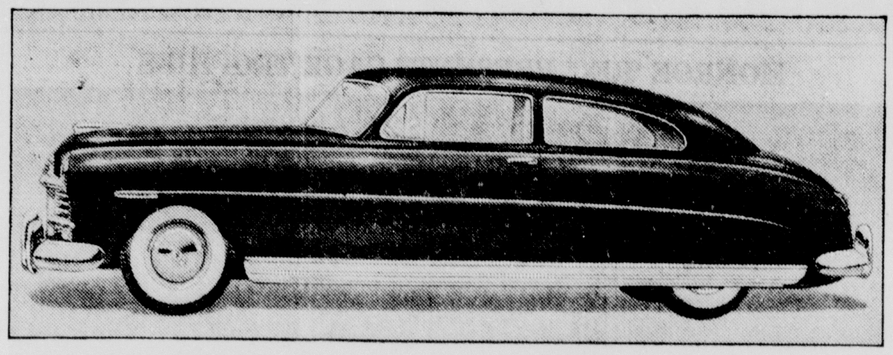
Gen. Airey said four days ago that no unusual Yugoslav troop movements had been noted around the British-American zone, which is bounded on the north and east by Yugoslav territory as well as the Yugoslav free zone territory.

The U. S. light cruiser Manchester arrived in Trieste today shortly after departure of the Dayton. Shore leave was given men aboard, including marines in numbers small enough to comply with the 5,000 limit on American occupation troops.

The reports of troop movements came as Trieste, jittery from a week of waiting for action on the western powers' proposal of last Saturday for its return to Italy, appeared resigned to a stalemate on its future.

Most Italian and British-American sources viewed a statement yesterday by Marshal Tito as paving the way for a Russian refusal to meet immediately the British-American-French proposal for return of the young free territory to Italy.

New Hudson Super Series Two-Door Broughams In Production



Hudson announces production of new Hudson Super-Six Series Two-Door Broughams, which are being shipped to dealers throughout the United States. The Broughams are powered by an entirely new 121 horsepower Super-Six engine, the most powerful mass-produced American six-cylinder passenger-car engine on the market. They have a 124-inch wheelbase. Ten standard, two special body colors and five two-tone color combinations are offered. The new Hudson combines for the first time in any motor car a low center of gravity with increased interior roominess, and a passenger compartment completely cradled between the axles. The car has a lower center of gravity than any other American automobile, is only five feet high and provides more head room than any other mass-produced automobile. Since floor is at a lower level than door openings, passengers upon entering step down into the car, not up on it. It has the roomiest seats, with rear seat passengers seated not only ahead of the rear axle, but completely ahead of the rear wheels.

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were wounded in the fighting which raged near Solomon's Pools and one Jew was killed by an Arab sniper at Ramat Rachel. The same informant claimed the Arabs suffered at least 30 casualties in the convoy battle.

Gunfire swept Jerusalem only a few hours before church bells will ring for Easter Sunday. Bullets whined near the Church of the Holy Sepulcher, said to be the site of the tomb of Christ's ressurrection.

The planes used by the Jews in the convoy battle were not described in detail. The Jews are believed to possess only small commercial aircraft. However, military observers said such planes may be fitted for carrying bombs up to 25 pounds under each wing.

One British military armored car sent to the scene was disabled. The Arabs hammered five Jewish armored cars believed to contain reinforcements dispatched to help the convoy. Two trucks of the convoy were aflame.

Police said the Arabs manned 17 road blocks between Bethlehem and Kfar Etzion. An R. A. F. pilot sighted the Jewish aircraft circling over the battleground.

A government spokesman said the convoy travelled southward from Jerusalem to Kfar Etzion before dawn without reporting to British security forces. It was making the return journey when the Arab attack began.

Jerusalem and its suburbs were swept tonight by a five-mile line of gunfire in the bitter Arab-Jewish conflict. The line extended from Beit Jala, north of Bethlehem, to the commercial center in midtown Jerusalem.

Units of the British Warwickshire regiment moved up along the walls of the old city through the Valley of Gehenna (Hell). The Tommies carried large mortars.

For three hours automatic weapons and snipers' rifles barked. Grenades and mortar shells burst in desolate Montefiore. Muffled explosions sounded from the downtown Mamillah road area.

For a few moments the firing halted. Then it resumed again, increasing in intensity in the direction of Montefiore. New Arab concentrations were reported east of Jerusalem on the Tel Aviv road.

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Trooper Fred L. Barnes, 36, of 1105 North Fourth street, was promoted to sergeant, while Sgt. E. Roy Byrd, 42, of 105 Linderman avenue, West Monroe, advanced a step higher with a lieutenant's promotion. The advancements were effective March 16.

Byrd, with the troop for the past eleven years, has been sergeant approximately three years. A resident of Monroe for the past 25 years, Byrd married the former Miss Louise Cassidy of Monroe, and has two daughters, Barbara, 9, and Mary Elizabeth, 12, and a 7-year-old son, Richard Roy.

Barnes, a veteran of three years with the army, has been with the state police force for five years. He is a native of Farmerville and is married to the former Miss Nell Golden, also of Farmerville. Barnes is the father of a 12-year-old son, Robert.

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wegian arms and use of Norwegian territory for American and British bases.

In administration and State department opinion the strongest assurance to Western Europe is a United States able and ready to act against Russia, if necessary. But a major aim of American policy is to strengthen the Europeans so they also will be ready and able to act.

Thus the American government has encouraged formation of the Western European Union and wants it to go much further than the five nations it already tentatively embraces—Britain, France, Belgium, The Netherlands, and Luxembourg.

One great aim of the European recovery plan in which 16 European nations are cooperating is to make the Europeans so strong they would stand virtually as their own counter-force against Russia. America and a revived Europe together would present a combination Russia would not dare fight, according to this reasoning.

But the plan was laid down and the Western European Union was conceived under a much slower tempo than the speed of today's events. The fate of Norway might be decided, for instance, in terms of weeks rather than years.

It is this state of affairs which has caused officials here to press work on the military phases of European recovery. The recovery plan with its expected $5,300,000,000 is now trimmed to a fairly close margin. To make it work, the European countries are supposed to produce a lot of civilian goods on their own. If they have to reduce this production in order to turn out arms, the plan will be thrown out of kilter and might require additional funds to make up the difference.

This leads to the alternative of sending American arms, as available, to friendly European countries that want them. This operation would be kept separate from the economic side of help to Europe and would be run, according to present thinking, by the armed forces.

INJUNCTION

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the order against the parent organization does not have the desired effect.

Gerhard Van Arkel, ITU counsel, said the union "probably will appeal."

He said in Washington that the decision will not be made until the order can be read.

Woodruff Randolph, ITU president who was restrained with other international officers, was not available for comment.

Elisha Hanson, counsel for the American Newspaper Publishers Association, said in Washington that the Swygert injunction opens the way for stabilization of labor relations in the industry.

The injunction suit grew out of ANPA charges before the NLBR of Taft-Hartley law violations by the ITU.

REDS SAY TRIESTE MAY START WAR

Italian Communist Bosses Say America, Britain Hope To Cause Trouble

ROME, March 27.—(AP)—Italy's Communist boss, Palmiro Togliatti, told a crowd of 100,000 today the three western powers "want to use Trieste to start another war."

As the Moscow-trained leader spoke in Rome's great Piazza Del Popolo, a plane droned overhead, dumping anti-Communist leaflets. The handbills urged the crowd to go to St. Peter's tomorrow to "wish the pope a happy Easter."

Sections of the crowd seemed disappointed in the speech, which had been widely heralded in advance by posters as the Communist answer to the British-American-French proposal of a week ago to return the free state territory of Trieste to Italy. Many drifted away during Togliatti's 75-minute address.

Togliatti had been expected to make heavy, direct attacks on the Italian government, as well as on the United States. But he devoted his talk mainly to Trieste.

The Communists apparently are preparing a propaganda campaign to convince voters before the crucial April 18 elections that the Communist party—and not the western powers—originated the idea of giving Trieste back to Italy. Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia aided this line with a statement at Belgrad yesterday that there are no Italo-Jugoslav issues which cannot be settled peacefully, especially if Communists are in power in both countries.

DEATHS

HENRY L. ROGERS

Funeral services for Henry L. Rogers, 77, who died Saturday afternoon in a local hospital, will be held at 3 p. m. Sunday at the chapel of the Hall Funeral Home with the Rev. R. T. Watson, officiating. Interment will follow in the Riverview Burial Park.

Mr. Rogers is survived by one sister, Mrs. Belle Merryweather of Chicago.

Pallbearers will be T. E. Sturgeon, J. M. Jones, A. W. Hampton, Charles Halley, F. R. Shaffer and Mr. Jackson.

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Sims and Gundy Funeral Home, Rayville, La.
Smith Funeral Home, Bastrop, La.

GREENBERG BUYS SLICE OF CLEVELAND CLUB

EX-BATTING STAR UNCERTAIN ABOUT PLAYING CAREER

Veeck Reveals Hank 'Second Largest Stockholder' Of Indians

LOS ANGELES, March 27.—(AP)—Big Hank Greenberg bought into the baseball business today, and all but bowed out as a player.

Hank Greenberg

President Bill Veeck of the Cleveland Indians announced that 37-year-old Hammerin' Hank, home run king of the American League before the war, is now the club's second largest stockholder. How much stock he bought was not announced, however. The club is valued at nearly $3,000,000.

"My immediate plans do not call for me to play," said Greenberg. "But I will do whatever is best for the club, whether it be as player or coach."

Veeck added: "After all, Greenberg is now a stockholder, and it's a matter of what he wants to do."

Hank explained that he would stay in shape so he can enter the lineup if necessary, but commented: "I hope the occasion doesn't arise. I don't want to be put in the position of competing with any of the boys on the squad for their jobs."

Greenberg, once the pride of Detroit's Tigers, by today's move returned to the American circuit after a year with Pittsburgh. The Pirates, who paid him some $50,000 last year for batting .249 and hitting 25 homers, released him at his own request at the end of the season.

In his best days with Detroit, Greenberg was a terrifying fellow at the plate. He his his peak in 1938 when he slugged 58 homers, just two short of Babe Ruth's all-time record.

He spent nine years with the Tigers before joining the army in 1941; returned after air officer service in the China-Burma-India theater and, joining the Tigers in July, 1945, helped spark the club to the championship. The next year he hit 44 homers and drove in 127 runs, but was handed his release in the fall.

This year he has spent spring training working out at first base and in the outfield with the Indians in Tucson, Ariz., and on the road—all the while saying he would make no decision on his playing status until sometime next week.

MONROE 'REC' PRESENTS CAGE TROPHIES

News-Star—World photo

Awarding of basketball trophies in five leagues sponsored by the Monroe Recreation department in the season just closed was made the past week. Foremost figures at the presentation program, pictured above left to right, include: Kneeling, Harold Bassett, assistant coach of the Red Shield Club Juniors; Joe Fant and Kenny Bates, members of the Calvert's Drugs Midget team; and Floyd Miller, representing Studebaker's champions of the Senior League; and standing, Jack Hesketh, director of the Monroe Recreation department; James McKay, Red Shield Junior coach; Cary Phillips, coach and sponsor of the Calvert's Drug Midget champs; Louise White, Southern Bell Telephone sextet of the Girls' League; Dan Cox, representing Howard Brothers Jewelers, champs of the City League for men; and Cy Swingle, sportscaster.

Bowling

SERVICE CLUB LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Monroe Kiwanis	41	22	.651
American Legion	37	26	.587
Exchange Club	33	30	.524
Y's Men	29	34	.460
West Monroe Kiwanis	28	35	.444
West Monroe Lions	21	42	.333

Games Wednesday

Y's Men vs. West Monroe Lions.
Exchange Club vs. American Legion.
West Monroe Kiwanis vs. Monroe Kiwanis.

Team High Series

Monroe Kiwanis	2456
West Monroe Kiwanis	2397
Y's Men	2362

Team High Game

Monroe Kiwanis	917
West Monroe Kiwanis	867
American Legion	822

Individual High Series

Snapp, Monroe Kiwanis	625
Smith, Y's Men	565
Durham, American Legion	555

Individual High Game

Smith, Y's Men	258
Cash, West Monroe Kiwanis	251
Snapp, Monroe Kiwanis	229

Ten Leading Bowlers

Snapp, Monroe Kiwanis	189
Durham, American Legion	171
Cash, West Monroe Kiwanis	162
Burlingham, Monroe Kiwanis	161
Carroll, West Monroe Kiwanis	160
Smith, Y's Men	158
Stewart, Exchange Club	156
McGee, Monroe Kiwanis	154
Montgomery, Y's Men	152

MAJOR LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
S. and M. Tire Co.	65	31	.644
KMLB	51	36	.856
News-Star—World	51	36	.586
Guerriero Insurance	44	43	.506
Bennett's Service	41	46	.471
Lovers' Lane Pharmacy	41	46	.471
Hollywood Drive-In	34	53	.391
Guyton-Cote Radio	30	57	.345

Tomorrow's Games

Bennett's vs. Guerriero.
S. and M. vs. Hollywood.
News-Star vs. KMLB.
Lovers' Lane vs. Guyton-Cote.

MAJORS' BIG SIX

Player	Games	Avg.
Finkheimer, KMLB	75	178
Hollywood, S. and M.	80	178
Peddy, News-Star	79	176
Snapp, Bennett's	84	175
Holmes, News-Star	78	176
A. Jones, KMBL	84	173

High game: Durham, KMLB, 245; Holloway, S. and M., 239; Holmes, News-Star, 236.

High series: Holloway, S and M., 664; Finkbeiner, KMLB, 643; and Pifer, Guerriero, 625.

Team high game: KMLB, 986; News-Star, 956; Bennett'c 949.

Team high series: KMLB, 2,749; News-Star, 2,690; Guerriero, 2,668.

Team high pin average per game: KMLB, 847; News-Star, 839; and S. and M., 826.

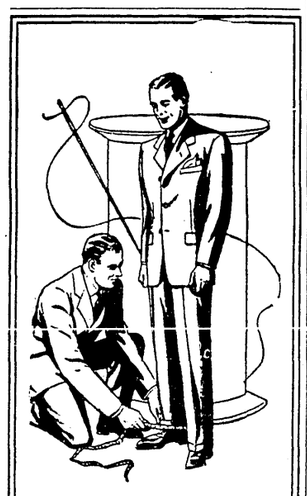
WILLIAMS WILL PITCH CINDERELLAS' OPENER

J. B. "Lefty" Williams will draw the starting assignment as pitcher for the Cinderella Sports against the Jackson, Miss., Cubs at Casino Park here this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Manager Hardy Goins said yesterday.

It will be the opening game of the season for the Sports, Negro semi-pro baseball club of Monroe. The Cinderellas will be decked out in new uniforms for the contest.

Frank Perkins, head of the XYZ Club, Negro service organization, will pitch the opening ball of the game, and the catcher will be Trudy Rogers, head of the Elks' Daughters.

Rural delivery of mail in Canada began in 1912.



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Pitching Strength And Infield Setup Still Open For Discussion

(EDITORS NOTE: This is the second of a series reviewing major league baseball teams' prospects for the 1948 season).

By Bob Myers

LOS ANGELES, March 27.—(AP)—Manager Charlie Grimm and most of the Chicago Cub family are a lot happier about their ball club now than they were a month ago.

This is almost a natural up-turn of mind, however, because a few weeks ago Bonnie Prince Charlie's spirits were dirt deep.

Today was spring cleaning day, so to speak, and as Grimm went about the business of dispatching six rookies to distant farm clubs for more seasoning, he took time out to declare:

"I feel a lot better than I did when I got to California. We've got some good looking kids in camp. They show a lot of promise. Some need more experience, and to get it we have to send 'em out."

Remaining in Cub uniforms, at least for another month or so, are Shortstop Roy Smalley, three stropping outfielders, Hal Jeffcoat from Nashville, Clarey Maddern from Los Angeles, and Cliff Aberson, from Des Moines.

Then there are two pitchers from Los Angeles' Triple-A club, Lefty Cliff Chambers and Righthander Don Carlson, and an imposing battery from Nashville, Pitcher Bob Rush and Catcher Al Walker.

There were several spots aching to be filled on the pitching staff, at least one in right field, and the Cub infield problem has been a source of discussion for years, ever since Billy Jurges left the club for New York, in fact, which was 10 years ago.

Clyde McCullough and Bob Scheffing provide the seasoned catching, and Eddie Waitkus is set at first. Grimm will go with Mark Schez at third, and there is still considerable traffic around second. Veteran Don Johnson, who has been hitting well this spring, and Ray Malk will divide the second sacking, and Grimm can choose between Dick Culler, Lennie Merullo and Smalley at short.

Phil Caverretta and Andy Pafko are most satisfactory in the outfield, but there is still a merry duel on for duty between Jeffcoat, Maddern, Peanuts Lowrey, Aberson and Bill Nicholson.

Grimm has a curious collection of veteran, rookie and in-between pitchers. The familiar names of Hank Borowy, Hany Wyse, Doyle Lade, Paul Erickson and Bob Chipman bob up, while Russ Meyer and Johnny Schmitz rate at the top of the corps. Rush, a righthander, has looked the best of the newcomers, but, as Grimm reiterated, all will get ample trial.

BLOCK BASEBALL CLUB BEGINS WORK MONDAY

JONESVILLE, March 27.—(Special)—Block High School will store spring football gear this week-end and prepare for the opening of baseball practice Monday afternoon.

Coach Frank Bishop stated this week that he was pleased with the showing of his grid changes during the intensive four-week warm-ups and believed several new prospects for the 1949 campaign have been developed.

The Block baseball team will be built around a nucleus of American Legion Juniors of last season. Baseball was not played at the school in 1947.

Holdovers from Legion Junior warfare are Ted Collins, catcher and outfielder; John Stanley Farmer, first baseman; Jimmy Parks, second baseman; Densil Humble, shortstop; Dudley Walker, third base and pitcher; Paul Jones, outfielder and catcher; Hilton Bordelon, outfielder; Tommy Smith, outfielder; C. M. Cotton, outfielder; Jack Fritz, outfielder.

CHARLOTTE OPEN DELAYED BY RAIN, DOUBLE UP TODAY

CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 27.—(AP)—A heavy early morning thunderstorm today forced postponement of the third round of the $10,000 Charlotte Open Golf Tournament.

The delay set up a 36-hole windup for tomorrow with Melvin (Chick) Harbert of Detroit nursing a one-stroke lead after two 66 rounds.

Horsemen Figuring Jamaica To Produce Blue Grass Winner

NEW YORK, March 27—(NEA)—New York tracks differ from most turf ovals throughout the country. They are not as beautiful, the purses are smaller, and yet they attract the biggest crowds.

Each spring turf followers receive the nags with the enthusiasm of kids welcoming the circus.

The fan seems to be conscious that nevertheless the Empire State's four tracks—Aqueduct, Belmont, Jamaica and Saratoga—comprise racing's Big Apple. They run for 169 days, the first 24 of which, with the opening of Jamaica, April 1, provide the proving ground for the Kentucky Derby.

Jamaica plays host to the outstanding three-year-olds then and favors them with four important races, any of which, could indicate the winner of the Run for the Roses, May 1.

Beginning with the two Experimental Handicaps, April 3rd and 10th, followed by the Jamaica Handicap on the 14th and the running of the Wood Memorial on the 24th, Derby candidates get a competitive test not found at other tracks.

Jet Pilot proved himself a mudder in the Jamaica Handicap slush last season, and when it came up mud at the Derby the son of Blenheim II out of Black Wave was in the winner's circle taking it all.

Assault won the Wood Memorial in 1946 and went to sweep the Triple Crown.

Phalanx tucked the Wood away in '47, and after faltering in the Derby, took one third of the Triple Crown by winning the Belmont. Faultless won the Preakness.

But as the season advanced last spring and the Crown was split three ways, it developed there was really no stickout three-year-old, which is not the case this trip.

There are few horsemen who don't look for Calumet Farm's Citation to take every race he enters. And that means all the big ones.

Sired by Bull Lea and the son of Hydroplane II, Citation took eight races in nine starts as a juvenile, losing only to stablemate Bewitch.

Since turning three, Citation hasn't lost a contest, and through the father-son trainer combination of Ben and Jimmy Jones, picked up an additional $62,475 for owner Warren Wright. He won $155,680 as a two-year-old.

His last victory was Hialeah's Flamingo Stakes under the steady hand of ill-fated jockey Al Enider, lost during a fishing trip in Florida's Everglades.

Jamaica fans will see, besides the Calumet entries of Citation, Bewitch, Coaltown and Free America, Salmagundi, winner of the Santa Anita Derby; Bovard, Louisiana Derby victor, and other formidable runners such as My Request, Star Bout, Big Dial and Whirling Fox. Saggy is here, too, and has shown top form in his recent outings.

On opening day is the running of the Paumonok Handicap for three-year-olds and up with an added purse of $30,000 which the Derby candidates have skipped with the exception of Better Self.

They, like the fans, feel the real Jamaica party doesn't start until the running of the Experimental.

That's when the three-year-olds get serious.

JONESVILLE'S BASEBALL FANS CALLED FOR MEET

JONESVILLE, La., March 27.—Special)—Jonesville baseball fans are urged to attend a meeting Monday night to organize a club for competition in the North Central Louisiana League.

The meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m. at Block High School.

Robert Swayze, field manager of last year's independent Jonesville Vets, said this week he is confident of fielding a winning team in the league. According to league officials, no "class" players will be allowed and competition will be on an amateur basis.

Besides Jonesville, four other teams have joined the loop and another is sought. The other four are Jena, Clarks, Columbia and Olla.

FLOYD ROOD NABS ONE-STROKE LEAD IN GULF TOURNEY

Collins Gains Two Strokes Behind In Third Place Tie

GULFPORT, Miss., March 27.—(AP)—Professional Floyd Rood of Houma, La., went a stroke above par today on the second round of the $3,000 Gulf Coast Invitational Golf Tournament, but he managed to stagger in a notch ahead of the rest of the field at the halfway point.

Rood's 36-hole tally of 69-72--141 barely kept him in front of Scudday Horner of Montgomery, Ala., who advanced to second place with 71-71--142.

Joe Moore, Jr., Louisiana State University player who shared the lead with Rood after yesterday's opening round, skidded down to tenth place at 69-77-146.

Johnny Cochrane of Greenwood, Miss., and Henry Castillo of Abbeville, La., fired 67's, the best rounds of the tournament thus far, adding them to yesterday's 76's for 143. Collins Gaines of Monroe, La., joined them in a third place tie with 73-70--143.

Defending champion Mike Demassey of Lookout Mountain, Tenn., tacked a 74 onto his previous 70 and pulled up sixth at 144.

The scores:

Floyd Rood, Houma, La. 69-71--141
Scudday Horner, Montgomery, Ala., 71-71--142
Collins Gaines, Monroe, La., 73-70--143
John Cochran, Greenwood, Miss., 76-67--143
Henry Castillo, Abbeville, La., 76-67--143
Mike Demassey, Lookout Mountain, Tenn., 70-74--144
Todd Houck, Memphis, Tenn., 74-71--145
*Wendell Barnes, Macon, Ga., 73-72--145
Frank Champ, Lake Charles, La., 70-75--145
*Joe Moore, Jr., San Antonio, Tex., 69-77--146
Gray Little, Lake Charles, La., 78-69--147
Harold Williams, Tuscaloosa, Ala., 76-72--148
*Bud Barbato, Baton Rouge, La., 75-74--149
*Al Stone, Jackson, Tenn., 78-71--149
*Spec Wilson, Laurel, Miss., 74-75--149
*Ralph Sharp, Gulfport, Miss., 77-73--150
Elmer Reed, Atlanta, Ga., 74-76--150
*Charles Rosen II, New Orleans, 74-76--150.
*Gardner Dickinson, Jr., Macon, Ga., 71-79—150.
*Harry Pritchett, Tuscaloosa, Ala., 79-71—150.
*Mickey Bellande, Biloxi, Miss., 77-73—150.
Jake Fonden, Memphis, Tenn., 73-77—150.
Jack Murphy, Maxwell Field, Ala., 77-74—151.
*Gene Vinson, Meridian, Miss., 76-75—151.
*Dick Collord, Jr., New Orleans, 77-74—151.
Gene Cook, Valdosta, Ga., 74-78—152.
*Junius Hebert, Lafayette, La., 74-78—152.
*Press Thornton, Dothan, Ala., 77-75—152.
*Ted Hewitt, Detroit, Mich., 76-76—152.
*Jim Simpson, Fort Worth, Tex., 72-80—152.
Bert Stamps, Baton Rouge, La., 77-76—153.
Nelson Giddens, Jackson, Miss., 76-77—153.
*Ray Salmen, New Orleans, 78-75--153.
*Jamie Jackson, 75-79—154.
Innes Millar, New Orleans, 77-77—154.
Walter Wright, 79-75—154
Winnie Cole, Vicksburg, 76-79—155.
Joe Burch, Mobile, 77-78—155.
*Ray Choate, 75-80—155.
* Amateur.

REPUBLICANS NOT AFRAID OF BOXING COMPETITION

WASINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—Republican National Convention officials will not let the Louis-Walcott heavyweight fight, set for June 23, interfere with their program of nominating a presidential ticket.

Walter S. Hallanan, chairman of the convention committee on arrangements, said today.

"Inquiries have been made as to whether or not the schedule of the National convention will be arranged so that broadcasting of the convention proceedings will avoid possible conflict with broadcasting of the fight.

"The answer is no."

June 23 will be the third night of the Republican convention. Party leaders believe that by the third day the convention may be conducting roll calls on a presidental nomination.

INAUGURATE SOUTHERN RELAYS NEXT SATURDAY

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 27.—(AP)—Track stars from over the south and a group from Navy will inaugurate the Southern Relays at Legion Field here Saturday.

Preliminaries will be run in the morning and field men will start performing in the afternoon.

In addition to virtually all the Southeastern Conference teams and the Navy, entries have been received from Miami University, Southwestern of Memphis, Sewanee, and high schools.

PHILS SIGN SCOUT

CLEARWATER, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—Anton Karl, former pitcher with the Philadelphia Phils, has been signed by the Phillies as a scout. Karl was traded to the Boston Braves last year for Catcher Don Padgett.

One Helps the Other

Eddie Stanky, erstwhile Brooklyn Dodger second baseman, confers with his new manager, Billy Southworth. The combination promises to bolster the Boston Braves' chances as flag contenders. Southworth wins games on his managing alone and Stanky's aggressiveness has pulled many a contest out of trouble.

MICHIGAN TAKES N. C. A. A. SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 27.—(AP)—University of Michigan's talented tank team cracked Ohio State's three-year monopoly on the N. C. A. A. swimming championship tonight by nosing out the Buckeyes by four points, 47 to 43, to earn the 1948 title.

Joe Verdeur, LaSalle College's great breast-stroke swimmer, knocked more than a full second off his own world record time tonight winning the 200-yard breast-stroke in the N. C. A. A. swimming championships in the sensational time of 2 minutes 14.7 seconds. Verdeur's listed world mark stood at 2:16.4.

It has been estimated that Americans put more than ten times as much money into gambling machines in 1941 as they did in 1929.

NICHOLSON TOLD HE HAS NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT

LOS ANGELES, Calif., March 27.—(AP)—Bill Nicholson, who has played in only three spring games for the Chicago Cubs, has been told by a physician that there is nothing vitally wrong with him.

The pain in his chest was diagnosed as a collarbone injury which is on the mend. Nick said he hurt his chest when he caught his spikes in his glove while making a shoestring catch.

HARD LUCK

LAKELAND, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—Rufe Gentry of the Detroit Tigers is one of the losingest pitchers of the spring training circuit. He lost his fourth straight game yesterday, and, like all the others, it was a one-run margin.

BENGALS WALLOP KEESLER, 17 TO 8

BATON ROUGE, La., March 27.—(AP)—Louisiana State University's baseball team snapped out of its batting slump today to trounce Keesler Field of Biloxi, Miss., 17 to 8, for the first Bengal victory of the season.

The Bengals had all the best of a wild, loosely played contest, scoring four runs in the opening inning and maintaining a good lead thoughout.

Catcher Gene Humphrey contributed a single and a home run and First Baseman Sinclair Kouns had too singles and a double in four trips to the plate.

Score by innings:

Keesler .....003 002 300— 8 5 3
Louisiana State .. 403 214 21x—17 17 5

Ashburner, Torcolette and A. Coates Thompson, Parsons, Baldwin and Murphy, Jewell.

CHESNES' CHANCES WITH BUCS STILL UNCERTAIN

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., March 27.—(AP)—The question of whether Bob Chesnes, colorful rookie pitcher, will play with Pittsburgh this season remained open today.

Chesne, San Francisco star, had an elbow operation last fall and has been having trouble again. X-ray pictures showed an inflammation of the front bicep tendon. He will stay here with the Seals for at least the next 10 days.

BREAK CAMP

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif., March 27.—(AP)—The St. Louis Browns broke camp here today and prepared for the long trek back to Sportsmans Park. They play the Chicago White Sox two games this week-end in Hollywood, then move to Tucson, Ariz., for a three-game set with the Cleveland Indians.

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Veeck Reveals Hank 'Second Largest Stockholder' Of Indians

LOS ANGELES, March 27.—(AP)—Big Hank Greenberg bought into the baseball business today, and all but bowed out as a player.

Hank Greenberg

President Bill Veeck of the Cleveland Indians announced that 37-year-old Hammerin' Hank, home run king of the American League before the war, is now the club's second largest stockholder. How much stock he bought was not announced, however. The club is valued at nearly $3,000,000.

"My immediate plans do not call for me to play," said Greenberg. "But I will do whatever is best for the club, whether it be as player or coach."

Veeck added: "After all, Greenberg is now a stockholder, and it's a matter of what he wants to do."

Hank explained that he would stay in shape so he can enter the lineup if necessary, but commented: "I hope the occasion doesn't arise. I don't want to be put in the position of competing with any of the boys on the squad for their jobs."

Greenberg, once the pride of Detroit's Tigers, by today's move returned to the American circuit after a year with Pittsburgh. The Pirates, who paid him some $50,000 last year for batting .249 and hitting 25 homers, released him at his own request at the end of the season.

In his best days with Detroit, Greenberg was a terrifying fellow at the plate. He his his peak in 1938 when he slugged 58 homers, just two short of Babe Ruth's all-time record.

He spent nine years with the Tigers before joining the army in 1941; returned after air officer service in the China-Burma-India theater and, joining the Tigers in July, 1945, helped spark the club to the championship. The next year he hit 44 homers and drove in 127 runs, but was handed his release in the fall.

This year he has spent spring training working out at first base and in the outfield with the Indians in Tucson, Ariz., and on the road—all the while saying he would make no decision on his playing status until sometime next week.

MONROE 'REC' PRESENTS CAGE TROPHIES

News-Star—World photo

Awarding of basketball trophies in five leagues sponsored by the Monroe Recreation department in the season just closed was made the past week. Foremost figures at the presentation program, pictured above left to right, include: Kneeling, Harold Bassett, assistant coach of the Red Shield Club Juniors; Joe Fant and Kenny Bates, members of the Calvert's Drugs Midget team; and Floyd Miller, representing Studebaker's champions of the Senior League; and standing, Jack Hesketh, director of the Monroe Recreation department; James McKay, Red Shield Junior coach; Cary Phillips, coach and sponsor of the Calvert's Drug Midget champs; Louise White, Southern Bell Telephone sextet of the Girls' League; Dan Cox, representing Howard Brothers Jewelers, champs of the City League for men; and Cy Swingle, sportscaster.

Bowling

SERVICE CLUB LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Monroe Kiwanis	41	22	.651
American Legion	37	26	.587
Exchange Club	33	30	.524
Y's Men	29	34	.460
West Monroe Kiwanis	28	35	.444
West Monroe Lions	21	42	.333

Games Wednesday

Y's Men vs. West Monroe Lions.
Exchange Club vs. American Legion.
West Monroe Kiwanis vs. Monroe Kiwanis.

Team High Series

Monroe Kiwanis	2456
West Monroe Kiwanis	2397
Y's Men	2362

Team High Game

Monroe Kiwanis	917
West Monroe Kiwanis	867
American Legion	822

Individual High Series

Snapp, Monroe Kiwanis	635
Smith, Y's Men	565
Durham, American Legion	555

Individual High Game

Smith, Y's Men	258
Cash, West Monroe Kiwanis	251
Snapp, Monroe Kiwanis	229

Ten Leading Bowlers

Snapp, Monroe Kiwanis	189
Durham, American Legion	171
Cash, West Monroe Kiwanis	162
Burlingham, Monroe Kiwanis	161
Carroll, West Monroe Kiwanis	160
Smith, Y's Men	158
Stewart, Exchange Club	156
McGee, Monroe Kiwanis	154
Montgomery, Y's Men	152

MAJOR LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
S. and M. Tire Co.	65	31	.644
KMLB	51	36	.856
News-Star—World	51	36	.586
Guerriero Insurance	44	43	.506
Bennett's Service	41	46	.471
Lovers' Lane Pharmacy	41	46	.471
Hollywood Drive-In	34	53	.391
Guyton-Cote Radio	30	57	.345

Tomorrow's Games

Bennett's vs. Guerriero.
S. and M. vs. Hollywood.
News-Star vs. KMLB.
Lovers' Lane vs. Guyton-Cote.

MAJORS' BIG SIX

Player	Games	Avg.
Finkbeimer, KMLB	75	178
Hollywood, S. and M.	80	178
Peddy, News-Star	79	176
Snapp, Bennett's	84	175
Holmes, News-Star	78	176
A. Jones, KMBL	84	173

High game: Durham, KMLB, 245; Holloway, S. and M., 239; Holmes, News-Star, 236.

High series: Holloway, S and M., 664; Finkbeiner, KMLB, 643; and Pifer, Guerriero, 625.

Team high game: KMLB, 986; News-Star, 956; Bennett'c 949.

Team high series: KMLB, 2,749; News-Star, 2,690; Guerriero, 2,668.

Team high pin average per game: KMLB, 847; News-Star, 839; and S. and M., 826.

WILLIAMS WILL PITCH CINDERELLAS' OPENER

J. B. "Lefty" Williams will draw the starting assignment as pitcher for the Cinderella Sports against the Jackson, Miss., Cubs at Casino Park here this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Manager Hardy Goins said yesterday.

It will be the opening game of the season for the Sports, Negro semi-pro baseball club of Monroe. The Cinderellas will be decked out in new uniforms for the contest.

Frank Perkins, head of the XYZ Club, Negro service organization, will pitch the opening ball of the game, and the catcher will be Trudy Rogers, head of the Elks' Daughters.

Rural delivery of mail in Canada began in 1912.

Grimm Tackles Spring Cleaning With Happier View Of His Cubs

Pitching Strength And Infield Setup Still Open For Discussion

(EDITORS NOTE: This is the second of a series reviewing major league baseball teams' prospects for the 1948 season).

By Bob Myers

LOS ANGELES, March 27.—(AP)—Manager Charlie Grimm and most of the Chicago Cub family are a lot happier about their ball club now than they were a month ago.

This is almost a natural up-turn of mind, however, because a few weeks ago Bonnie Prince Charlie's spirits were dirt deep.

Today was spring cleaning day, so to speak, and as Grimm went about the business of dispatching six rookies to distant farm clubs for more seasoning, he took time out to declare:

"I feel a lot better than I did when I got to California. We've got some good looking kids in camp. They show a lot of promise. Some need more experience, and to get it we have to send 'em out."

Remaining in Cub uniforms, at least for another month or so, are Shortstop Roy Smalley, three stropping outfielders, Hal Jeffcoat from Nashville, Clarey Maddern from Los Angeles, and Cliff Aberson, from Des Moines.

Then there are two pitchers from Los Angeles' Triple-A club, Lefty Cliff Chambers and Righthander Don Carlson, and an imposing battery from Nashville, Pitcher Bob Rush and Catcher Al Walker.

There were several spots aching to be filled on the pitching staff, at least one in right field, and the Cub infield problem has been a source of discussion for years, ever since Billy Jurges left the club for New York, in fact, which was 10 years ago.

Clyde McCullough and Bob Scheffing provide the seasoned catching, and Eddie Waitkus is set at first. Grimm will go with Mark Schez at third, and there is still considerable traffic around second. Veteran Don Johnson, who has been hitting well this spring, and Ray Malk will divide the second sacking, and Grimm can choose between Dick Culler, Lennie Merullo and Smalley at short.

Phil Caverretta and Andy Pafko are most satisfactory in the outfield, but there is still a merry duel on for duty between Jeffcoat, Maddern, Peanuts Lowrey, Aberson and Bill Nicholson.

Grimm has a curious collection of veteran, rookie and in-between pitchers. The familiar names of Hank Borowy, Hany Wyse, Doyle Lade, Paul Erickson and Bob Chipman bob up, while Russ Meyer and Johnny Schmitz rate at the top of the corps. Rush, a righthander, has looked the best of the newcomers, but, as Grimm reiterated, all will get ample trial.

BLOCK BASEBALL CLUB BEGINS WORK MONDAY

JONESVILLE, March 27.—(Special)—Block High School will store spring football gear this week-end and prepare for the opening of baseball practice Monday afternoon.

Coach Frank Bishop stated this week that he was pleased with the showing of his grid changes during the intensive four-week warm-ups and believed several new prospects for the 1949 campaign have been developed.

The Block baseball team will be built around a nucleus of American Legion Juniors of last season. Baseball was not played at the school in 1947.

Holdovers from Legion Junior warfare are Ted Collins, catcher and outfielder; John Stanley Farmer, first baseman; Jimmy Parks, second baseman; Densil Humble, shortstop; Dudley Walker, third base and pitcher; Paul Jones, outfielder and catcher; Hilton Bordelon, outfielder; Tommy Smith, outfielder; C. M. Cotton, outfielder; Jack Fritz, outfielder.

CHARLOTTE OPEN DELAYED BY RAIN, DOUBLE UP TODAY

CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 27.—(AP)—A heavy early morning thunderstorm today forced postponement of the third round of the $10,000 Charlotte Open Golf Tournament.

The delay set up a 36-hole windup for tomorrow with Melvin (Chick) Harbert of Detroit nursing a one-stroke lead after two 66 rounds.

Horsemen Figuring Jamaica To Produce Blue Grass Winner

NEW YORK, March 27—(NEA)—New York tracks differ from most turf ovals throughout the country. They are not as beautiful, the purses are smaller, and yet they attract the biggest crowds.

Each spring turf followers receive the nags with the enthusiasm of kids welcoming the circus.

The fan seems to be conscious that nevertheless the Empire State's four tracks—Aqueduct, Belmont, Jamaica and Saratoga—comprise racing's Big Apple. They run for 169 days, the first 24 of which, with the opening of Jamaica, April 1, provide the proving ground for the Kentucky Derby.

Jamaica plays host to the outstanding three-year-olds then and favors them with four important races, any of which, could indicate the winner of the Run for the Roses, May 1.

Beginning with the two Experimental Handicaps, April 3rd and 10th, followed by the Jamaica Handicap on the 14th and the running of the Wood Memorial on the 24th, Derby candidates get a competitive test not found at other tracks.

Jet Pilot proved himself a mudder in the Jamaica Handicap slush last season, and when it came up mud at the Derby the son of Blenheim II out of Black Wave was in the winner's circle taking it all.

Assault won the Wood Memorial in 1946 and went to sweep the Triple Crown.

Phalanx tucked the Wood away in '47, and after faltering in the Derby, took one third of the Triple Crown by winning the Belmont. Faultless won the Preakness.

But as the season advanced last spring and the Crown was split three ways, it developed there was really no stickout three-year-old, which is not the case this trip.

There are few horsemen who don't look for Calumet Farm's Citation to take every race he enters. And that means all the big ones.

Sired by Bull Lea and the son of Hydroplane II, Citation took eight races in nine starts as a juvenile, losing only to stablemate Bewitch.

Since turning three, Citation hasn't lost a contest, and through the father-son trainer combination of Ben and Jimmy Jones, picked up an additional $62,475 for owner Warren Wright. He won $155,680 as a two-year-old.

His last victory was Hialeah's Flamingo Stakes under the steady hand of ill-fated jockey Al Enider, lost during a fishing trip in Florida's Everglades.

Jamaica fans will see, besides the Calumet entries of Citation, Bewitch, Coaltown and Free America, Salmagundi, winner of the Santa Anita Derby; Bovard, Louisiana Derby victor, and other formidable runners such as My Request, Star Bout, Big Dial and Whirling Fox. Saggy is here, too, and has shown top form in his recent outings.

On opening day is the running of the Paumonok Handicap for three-year-olds and up with an added purse of $30,000 which the Derby candidates have skipped with the exception of Better Self.

They, like the fans, feel the real Jamaica party doesn't start until the running of the Experimental.

That's when the three-year-olds get serious.

JONESVILLE'S BASEBALL FANS CALLED FOR MEET

JONESVILLE, La., March 27.—Special)—Jonesville baseball fans are urged to attend a meeting Monday night to organize a club for competition in the North Central Louisiana League.

The meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m. at Block High School.

Robert Swayze, field manager of last year's independent Jonesville Yets, said this week he is confident of fielding a winning team in the league. According to league officials, no "class" players will be allowed and competition will be on an amateur basis.

Besides Jonesville, four other teams have joined the loop and another is sought. The other four are Jena, Clarks, Columbia and Olla.

FLOYD ROOD NABS ONE-STROKE LEAD IN GULF TOURNEY

Collins Gains Two Strokes Behind In Third Place Tie

GULFPORT, Miss., March 27.—(AP)—Professional Floyd Rood of Houma, La., went a stroke above par today on the second round of the $3,000 Gulf Coast Invitational Golf Tournament, but he managed to stagger in a notch ahead of the rest of the field at the halfway point.

Rood's 36-hole tally of 69-72--141 barely kept him in front of Scudday Horner of Montgomery, Ala., who advanced to second place with 71-71--142.

Joe Moore, Jr., Louisiana State University player who shared the lead with Rood after yesterday's opening round, skidded down to tenth place at 69-77-146.

Johnny Cochrane of Greenwood, Miss., and Henry Castillo of Abbeville, La., fired 67's, the best rounds of the tournament thus far, adding them to yesterday's 76's for 143. Collins Gaines of Monroe, La., joined them in a third place tie with 73-70--143.

Defending champion Mike Demassey of Lookout Mountain, Tenn., tacked a 74 onto his previous 70 and pulled up sixth at 144.

The scores:

Floyd Rood, Houma, La. 69-71--141
Scudday Horner, Montgomery, Ala., 71-71--142
Collins Gaines, Monroe, La., 73-70--143
John Cochran, Greenwood, Miss., 76-67--143
Henry Castillo, Abbeville, La., 76-67--143
Mike Demassey, Lookout Mountain, Tenn., 70-74--144
Todd Houck, Memphis, Tenn., 74-71--145
*Wendell Barnes, Macon, Ga., 73-72--145
Frank Champ, Lake Charles, La., 70-75--145
*Joe Moore, Jr., San Antonio, Tex., 69-77--146
Gray Little, Lake Charles, La., 78-69--147
Harold Williams, Tuscaloosa, Ala., 76-72--148
*Bud Barbato, Baton Rouge, La., 75-74--149
*Al Stone, Jackson, Tenn., 78-71—149
*Spec Wilson, Laurel, Miss., 74-75--149
*Ralph Sharp, Gulfport, Miss., 77-73--150
Elmer Reed, Atlanta, Ga., 74-76--150
*Charles Rosen II, New Orleans, 74-76--150.
*Gardner Dickinson, Jr., Macon, Ga., 71-79—150.
*Harry Pritchett, Tuscaloosa, Ala., 79-71—150.
*Mickey Bellande, Biloxi, Miss., 77-73—150.
Jake Fonden, Memphis, Tenn., 73-77—150.
Jack Murphy, Maxwell Field, Ala., 77-74—151.
*Gene Vinson, Meridian, Miss., 76-75—151.
*Dick Collord, Jr., New Orleans, 77-74—151.
Gene Cook, Valdosta, Ga., 74-78—152.
*Junius Hebert, Lafayette, La., 74-78—152.
*Press Thornton, Dothan, Ala., 77-75—152.
*Ted Hewitt, Detroit, Mich., 76-76—152.
*Jim Simpson, Fort Worth, Tex., 72-80—152.
Bert Stamps, Baton Rouge, La., 77-76—153.
Nelson Giddens, Jackson, Miss., 76-77—153.
*Ray Salmen, New Orleans, 78-75--153.
*Jamie Jackson, 75-79—154.
Innes Millar, New Orleans, 77-77—154.
Walter Wright, 79-75—154
Winnie Cole, Vicksburg, 76-79—155.
Joe Burch, Mobile, 77-78—155.
*Ray Choate, 75-80—155.
* Amateur.

REPUBLICANS NOT AFRAID OF BOXING COMPETITION

WASINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—Republican National Convention officials will not let the Louis-Walcott heavyweight fight, set for June 23, interfere with their program of nominating a presidential ticket.

Walter S. Hallanan, chairman of the convention committee on arrangements, said today.

"Inquiries have been made as to whether or not the schedule of the National convention will be arranged so that broadcasting of the convention proceedings will avoid possible conflict with broadcasting of the fight.

"The answer is no."

June 23 will be the third night of the Republican convention. Party leaders believe that by the third day the convention may be conducting roll calls on a presidental nomination.

INAUGURATE SOUTHERN RELAYS NEXT SATURDAY

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 27.—(AP)—Track stars from over the south and a group from Navy will inaugurate the Southern Relays at Legion Field here Saturday.

Preliminaries will be run in the morning and field men will start performing in the afternoon.

In addition to virtually all the Southeastern Conference teams and the Navy, entries have been received from Miami University, Southwestern of Memphis, Sewanee, and high schools.

PHILS SIGN SCOUT

CLEARWATER, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—Anton Karl, former pitcher with the Philadelphia Phils, has been signed by the Phillies as a scout. Karl was traded to the Boston Braves last year for Catcher Don Padgett.

One Helps the Other

Eddie Stanky, erstwhile Brooklyn Dodger second baseman, confers with his new manager, Billy Southworth. The combination promises to bolster the Boston Braves' chances as flag contenders. Southworth wins games on his managing alone and Stanky's aggressiveness has pulled many a contest out of trouble.

MICHIGAN TAKES N. C. A. A. SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 27.—(AP)—University of Michigan's talented tank team cracked Ohio State's three-year monopoly on the N. C. A. A. swimming championship tonight by nosing out the Buckeyes by four points, 47 to 43, to earn the 1948 title.

Joe Verdeur, LaSalle College's great breast-stroke swimmer, knocked more than a full second off his own world record time tonight winning the 200-yard breast-stroke in the N. C. A. A. swimming championships in the sensational time of 2 minutes 14.7 seconds. Verdeur's listed world mark stood at 2:16.4.

It has been estimated that Americans put more than ten times as much money into gambling machines in 1941 as they did in 1929.

NICHOLSON TOLD HE HAS NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT

LOS ANGELES, Calif., March 27.—(AP)—Bill Nicholson, who has played in only three spring games for the Chicago Cubs, has been told by a physician that there is nothing vitally wrong with him.

The pain in his chest was diagnosed as a collarbone injury which is on the mend. Nick said he hurt his chest when he caught his spikes in his glove while making a shoestring catch.

HARD LUCK

LAKELAND, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—Rufe Gentry of the Detroit Tigers is one of the losingest pitchers of the spring training circuit. He lost his fourth straight game yesterday, and, like all the others, it was a one-run margin.

BENGALS WALLOP KEESLER, 17 TO 8

BATON ROUGE, La., March 27.—(AP)—Louisiana State University's baseball team snapped out of its batting slump today to trounce Keesler Field of Biloxi, Miss., 17 to 8, for the first Bengal victory of the season.

The Bengals had all the best of a wild, loosely played contest, scoring four runs in the opening inning and maintaining a good lead thoughout.

Catcher Gene Humphrey contributed a single and a home run and First Baseman Sinclair Kouns had too singles and a double in four trips to the plate.

Score by innings:

Keesler .....003 002 300— 8 5 3
Louisiana State .. 403 214 21x—17 17 5

Ashburner, Torcolette and A. Coates Thompson, Parsons, Baldwin and Murphy, Jewell.

CHESNES' CHANCES WITH BUCS STILL UNCERTAIN

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., March 27.—(AP)—The question of whether Bob Chesnes, colorful rookie pitcher, will play with Pittsburgh this season remained open today.

Chesne, San Francisco star, had an elbow operation last fall and has been having trouble again. X-ray pictures showed an inflammation of the front bicep tendon. He will stay here with the Seals for at least the next 10 days.

BREAK CAMP

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif., March 27.—(AP)—The St. Louis Browns broke camp here today and prepared for the long trek back to Sportsmans Park. They play the Chicago White Sox two games this week-end in Hollywood, then move to Tucson, Ariz., for a three-game set with the Cleveland Indians.

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DERBY HOPEFULS GET TEST RUN IN DOWNS HANDICAP

Seven Candidates For Big Race Among Entries For April 24 Event

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 27.—(Special)—Seven Kentucky Derby candidates including five owned by Calumet Farm, are among the forty-five horses which have been nominated for the $10,000-added Churchill Downs Handicap at the Louisville track this spring. The seven-furlong race will feature the opening day program at Churchill Downs on Saturday, April 24.

Calumet Farm was the principal nominator for this added money event, naming eight. The Calumet Derby hopefuls which are eiligible include, Citation, Bewitch, Whirl Blast, Free America, and Coaltown. Old horses in the Calumet barn also nominated were Hail Victory, Happiness, and Pep Well.

Augustus and Nahm nominated their Derby candidate Loujac, along with Eeternal Reward from the same racing stable. Mrs. Frank P. Letellier's lone entry in the Churchill Downs Handicap is her Derby candidate Knight's Hill.

Jack S. L. and Joe's Choice, second and third respectively to Dark Jungle in the 1947 running of the race, were named for the 1948 renewal. The eligibles also include many other horses which were prominent in the handicap division last season.

A complete list of the eligibles follows:

Noble One, Loujac, Eternal Reward, King Bay, Tidy Sum, Tennessee Kid, Joe's Choice, Hail Victory, Happiness, Pep Well, Whirl Blast, Citation, Free America, Coaltown, Bewitch, Big Pop, Dusty Roads, Jobstown, Tre Vit, Southern Pride, Chipamink, Miss Neal, Ouintero, Dick's Gal, Master Bid, Pellicle, Roi Rouge, Letmenow, Ouibu, Colosal, First Page, John's Pride, Knight's Hill, Jack S. L., Gay Secret Boat Man, Trymenow, Say Blue, George Gains, Shaws Pride, Frere Jacque, Superwolf, Phar Mon, Air Rate, and Ariel Ace.

SPORTS ROUND UP
By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, March 27.—(AP)—When fans who watched the A. A. U. basketball tournament in Denver read that Kentucky was being picked by some experts as favorite in the Olympic tournament, they let out a few gutfaws . . . Then they began to wonder. . . . They agree that the Phillips 66 team from Bartlesville, Okla., has plenty to lick most college teams, but some of the other A. A. U. outfits didn't look too good . . . And the Bartlesville boys admittedly are preparing for a turnover next season . . . One player they'd like to get is Ray Lumpp of N. Y. U., but they're also looking for other prospects to replace older athletes . . . Word from the Dodger training camp is that Hugh Casey is suffering from an ailing back . . . No wonder, after he carried the team on it all last season.

Sub-Tile Answer

U. of Maryland footballers tell this one about Clark Shaughnessy, when the original man in motion was coaching there . . . During one tough game, Shaughnessy was nervously pacing the sidelines . . . Finally he shouted: "Manager, what quarter is this?" . . . An efficient student manager explained that it was fourth quarter with about four minutes to go . . . "Send Tommy Mont in off the bench," Clark ordered . . . Sheepishly, the manager explained that Mont had started the game and still was in there . . . "Well then," snapped Shaughnessy, "take him out. He needs a rest."

Sports Before Your Eyes

West coast boxing followers say the Ike Williams-Enrique Bolanos lightweight title fight in Los Angeles next summer should break all records for gate receipts in that section. . . . Notre Dame's basketballers weren't sorry when Marquette's Gene Berce wound up his college career in Thursday's all-star game. In stix times he faced the Irish, Gene scored 121 points . . . Hal Schumacker, one-time Giant pitcher who now sells bats to the major league clubs, is taking a holiday pitching for the Yankee batters . . . Citation, Calumet's Kentucky Derby favorite, has been running second to his stablemate, Coaltown, in recent morning trials . . . During the N. C. A. A. basketball tourney, Kentucky Coach Adolph Rupp received a letter from some boys in the Lexington, Ky., veterans hospital . . . They explained they had been following his team by radio and added, "you'd better keep winning because we want another week's entainment."

Time Off

When Harry Rabenhorst, veteran Louisiana State U. coach, issued his call for baseball practice recently, he noticed that one candidate, a kid from South America, didn't have any baseball shoes . . . Harry asked the kid what size shoes he wore . . . The Latin lad thought it over deliberately and replied: "Oh, about 7:30."

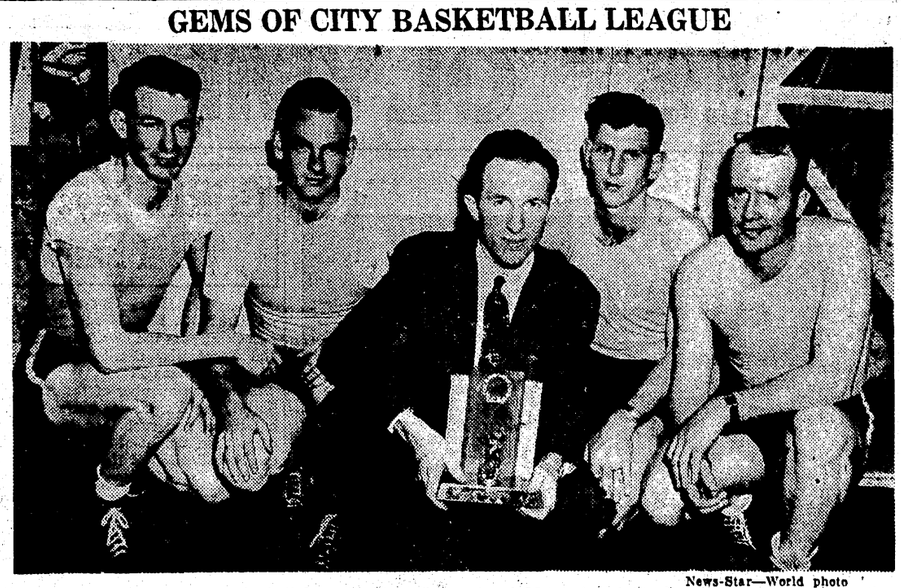
FERTILE LANDS SCORES WIN IN ARKANSAS DERBY

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 27.—(AP)—Fertile Lands won the $10,000-Added Arkansas Derby at Oaklawn Park today.

Enforcer, the favorite, finished second. Beaukiss was third. Fancy Flyer was fourth in the field of nine.

Fertile Lands, ridden by Paul Gloe well, ran the mile and an eighth in 1:51 and paid $8.00, 2.80 and 2.50. Enforcer paid 2.40 and 2.30. Beaukiss paid 3.20.

GEMS OF CITY BASKETBALL LEAGUE



News-Star—World photo

Champions of the City Basketball League, "major" circuit of Monroe's winter leagues, are Howard Brothers Jewelers pictured above. Left to right, they are Dan Cox, Johnny Kelly, W. L. Howard, DeWeise Beavers, and Lee Gaar. Absent for the picture taking were J. D. McHenry and Mickey Frost.

GRAYSON'S SCOREBOARD

By Harry Grayson

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 27.—(NEA)—Reluctant as they are to give up on him, the Yankees fear that the spinal ailment which put Charlie Keller in the hospital last summer has definitely cut down the renowned slugger at the very peak of his career.

Charlie Keller

While King Kong Keller, one of the more fearsome lefthand hitters, stuck out with the New York Americans for nine seasons, he is only 29.

Keller was treated surgically for a disc, which is a cup or washer, at the base of the spine.

The Maryland alumnus had to wear a brace for several months. His muscles softened.

He acted as a professor at Snuffy Stirnweiss' Bartow, Fla., winter baseball school by way of obtaining an early start at toughening them up, has worked like an ambitious recruit.

But Keller is still hesitant about opening up, afraid something will snap.

"I'd love to say Charlie was coming along," said one of the older Yankees, "but I'm afraid he won't make it.

"He tried to break from the plate the other afternoon, and you would have done it quicker. It was pitiable.

"His spinal trouble has affected his swing, too. It looks like the old Keller swing, but all he has in it is his arms. There's nothing behind it. He hits the ball, and nothing happens."

"Keller's running is about 80 per cent normal," explains Bucky Harris. "He asked me to let him play April 1, and we will know more about him, and see what happens then.

"Charlie is perfectly all right physically now for everything but something like playing major league baseball.

"It's tough, and I don't have to tell you how hard all of us are pulling for him. If he doesn't come back, it won't be because the plucky fellow didn't give it a good try."

Keller suffered chronic back trouble for three years after he returned from service in the Merchant Marine. Any sort of severe strain could have caused the injury.

The five-foot, 10-inch, 185-pounder of Frederick, Md., had to quit early last June when it became too painful to run.

He was batting no more than .238, but his tremendous value to the club in 45 games was stressed by his identical hits, runs and runs-batted-in totals of 36, and a total base figure of 83. Charlie was good to the last step, still pasting the long ball when it counted most.

With Keller out of it, the outfield will be composed of the set that swept the Yanks to 19 straight victories, the pennant and world championship in 1947—Lindell, DiMaggio and Henrich—with six-foot three-inch, 195-pound Cliff Mapes possibly alternating with Lindell in left field against right-hand pitching.

Mapes led the American Association with 117 runs-batted-in, manufactured 27 doubles, 11 triples and 21 home runs, batting .309.

Ed Stewart, another left-hand hitter who is crowding 32, will also be carried. He barely missed winning the American Association batting championship with .358. He had 33 doubles, showed the way in triples with 17, fashioned seven home runs, scored 107 runs and batted in 102 more.

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DERBY HOPEFULS GET TEST RUN IN DOWNS HANDICAP

Seven Candidates For Big Race Among Entries For April 24 Event

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 27.—(Special)—Seven Kentucky Derby candidates including five owned by Calumet Farm, are among the forty-five horses which have been nominated for the $10,000-added Churchill Downs Handicap at the Louisville track this spring. The seven-furlong race will feature the opening day program at Churchill Downs on Saturday, April 24.

Calumet Farm was the principal nominator for this added money event, naming eight. The Calumet Derby hopefuls which are eiligible include, Citation, Bewitch, Whirl Blast, Free America, and Coaltown. Old horses in the Calumet barn also nominated were Hail Victory, Happiness, and Pep Well.

Augustus and Nahm nominated their Derby candidate Loujac, along with Eternal Reward from the same racing stable. Mrs. Frank P. Letellier's lone entry in the Churchill Downs Handicap is her Derby candidate Knight's Hill.

Jack S. L. and Joe's Choice, second and third respectively to Dark Jungle in the 1947 running of the race, were named for the 1948 renewal. The eligibles also include many other horses which were prominent in the handicap division last season.

A complete list of the eligibles follows:

Noble One, Loujac, Eternal Reward, King Bay, Tidy Sum, Tennessee Kid, Joe's Choice, Hail Victory, Happiness, Pep Well, Whirl Blast, Citation, Free America, Coaltown, Bewitch, Big Pop, Dusty Roads, Jobstown, Tre Vit, Southern Pride, Chipamink, Miss Neal, Ouintero, Dick's Gal, Master Bid, Pellicle, Roi Rouge, Letmenow, Ouibu, Colosal, First Page, John's Pride, Knight's Hill, Jack S. L., Gay Secret Boat Man, Trymenow, Say Blue, George Gains, Shaws Pride, Frere Jacque, Superwolf, Phar Mon, Air Rate, and Ariel Ace.

SPORTS ROUND UP

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, March 27.—(AP)—When fans who watched the A. A. U. basketball tournament in Denver read that Kentucky was being picked by some experts as favorite in the Olympic tournament, they let out a few guffaws . . . Then they began to wonder. . . . They agree that the Phillips 66 team from Bartlesville, Okla., has plenty to lick most college teams, but some of the other A. A. U. outfits didn't look too good . . . And the Bartlesville boys admittedly are preparing for a turnover next season . . . One player they'd like to get is Ray Lumpp of N. Y. U., but they're also looking for other prospects to replace older athletes . . . Word from the Dodger training camp is that Hugh Casey is suffering from an ailing back . . . No wonder, after he carried the team on it all last season.

Sub-Tile Answer

U. of Maryland footballers tell this one about Clark Shaughnessy, when the original man in motion was coaching there . . . During one tough game, Shaughnessy was nervously pacing the sidelines . . . Finally he shouted: "Manager, what quarter is this?" . . . An efficient student manager explained that it was fourth quarter with about four minutes to go . . . "Send Tommy Mont in off the bench," Clark ordered . . . Sheepishly, the manager explained that Mont had started the game and still was in there . . . "Well then," snapped Shaughnessy, "take him out. He needs a rest."

Sports Before Your Eyes

West coast boxing followers say the Ike Williams-Enrique Bolanos lightweight title fight in Los Angeles next summer should break all records for gate receipts in that section. . . . Notre Dame's basketballers weren't sorry when Marquette's Gene Berce wound up his college career in Thursday's all-star game. In stix times he faced the Irish, Gene scored 124 points . . . Hal Schumacker, one-time Giant pitcher who now sells bats to the major league clubs, is taking a holiday pitching for the Yankee batters . . . Citation, Calumet's Kentucky Derby favorite, has been running second to his stablemate, Coaltown, in recent morning trials . . . During the N. C. A. A. basketball tourney, Kentucky Coach Adolph Rupp received a letter from some boys in the Lexington, Ky., veterans hospital . . . They explained they had been following his team by radio and added, "you'd better keep winning because we want another week's entainment."

Time Off

When Harry Rabenhorst, veteran Louisiana State U. coach, issued his call for baseball practice recently, he noticed that one candidate, a kid from South America, didn't have any baseball shoes . . . Harry asked the kid what size shoes he wore . . . The Latin lad thought it over deliberately and replied: "Oh, about 7:30."

FERTILE LANDS SCORES WIN IN ARKANSAS DERBY

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 27.—(AP)—Fertile Lands won the $10,000-Added Arkansas Derby at Oaklawn Park today.

Enforcer, the favorite, finished second. Beaukiss was third. Fancy Flyer was fourth in the field of nine.

Fertile Lands, ridden by Paul Gloe well, ran the mile and an eighth in 1:51 and paid $8.00, 2.80 and 2.50. Enforcer paid 2.40 and 2.30. Beaukiss paid 3.20.

GEMS OF CITY BASKETBALL LEAGUE

News-Star—World photo

Champions of the City Basketball League, "major" circuit of Monroe's winter leagues, are Howard Brothers Jewelers pictured above. Left to right, they are Dan Cox, Johnny Kelly, W. L. Howard, DeWeise Beavers, and Lee Gaar. Absent for the picture taking were J. D. McHenry and Mickey Frost.

GRAYSON'S SCOREBOARD

By Harry Grayson

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 27.—(NEA)—Reluctant as they are to give up on him, the Yankees fear that the spinal ailment which put Charlie Keller in the hospital last summer has definitely cut down the renowned slugger at the very peak of his career.

Charlie Keller

While King Kong Keller, one of the more fearsome lefthand hitters, stuck out with the New York Americans for nine seasons, he is only 29.

Keller was treated surgically for a disc, which is a cup or washer, at the base of the spine.

The Maryland alumnus had to wear a brace for several months. His muscles softened.

He acted as a professor at Snuffy Stirnweiss' Bartow, Fla., winter baseball school by way of obtaining an early start at toughening them up, has worked like an ambitious recruit.

But Keller is still hesitant about opening up, afraid something will snap.

"I'd love to say Charlie was coming along," said one of the older Yankees, "but I'm afraid he won't make it.

"He tried to break from the plate the other afternoon, and you would have done it quicker. It was pitiable.

"His spinal trouble has affected his swing, too. It looks like the old Keller swing, but all he has in it is his arms. There's nothing behind it. He hits the ball, and nothing happens."

"Keller's running is about 80 per cent normal," explains Bucky Harris. "He asked me to let him play April 1, and we will know more about him, and see what happens then.

"Charlie is perfectly all right physically now for everything but something like playing major league baseball.

"It's tough, and I don't have to tell you how hard all of us are pulling for him. If he doesn't come back, it won't be because the plucky fellow didn't give it a good try."

Keller suffered chronic back trouble for three years after he returned from service in the Merchant Marine. Any sort of severe strain could have caused the injury.

The five-foot, 10-inch, 185-pounder of Frederick, Md., had to quit early last June when it became too painful to run.

He was batting no more than .238, but his tremendous value to the club in 45 games was stressed by his identical hits, runs and runs-batted-in totals of 36, and a total base figure of 83. Charlie was good to the last step, still pasting the long ball when it counted most.

With Keller out of it, the outfield will be composed of the set that swept the Yanks to 19 straight victories, the pennant and world championship in 1947—Lindell, DiMaggio and Henrich—with six-foot three-inch, 195-pound Cliff Mapes possibly alternating with Lindell in left field against right-hand pitching.

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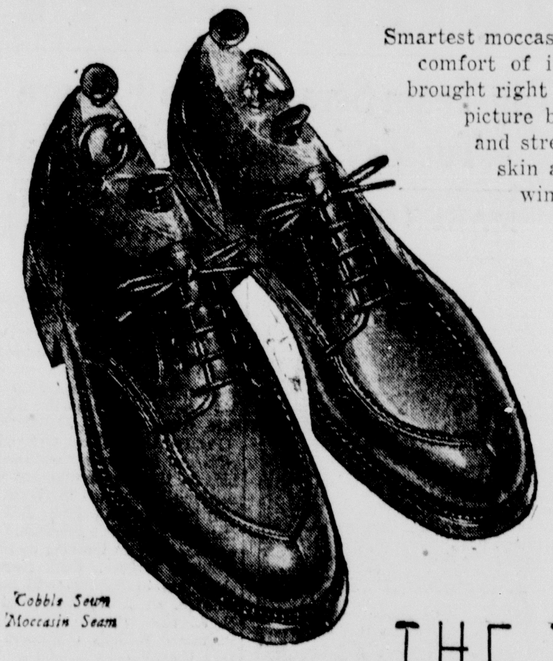

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Basketball Tryouts Will Be Resumed At Garden Tomorrow Night

NEW YORK, March 27.—(AP)—Kentucky's Wildcats spotted Louisville University a 5-0 lead, then came roaring back to swamp the N. A. I. B. champions, 91-57, at Madison Square Garden tonight to reach the semi-final round of the Olympic basketball trials.

Kentucky will meet Baylor University Monday night. The Wildcats already have whipped the Texas quintet in the N. C. A. A. finals last Tuesday. Baylor advanced by nipping New York University, 59-57, in an afternoon contest. The Phillips Oilers of Bartlesville, Okla., National A. A. U. champions, will engage the Denver Nuggets in the other game of the twin bill. Denver qualified by defeating the Oakland Bittners, 57-55, in the afternoon, while the Oilers trampled Brooklyn's Y. M. C. A. champions, 74-32, in tonight's first game.

Louisville, 3-point underdog, brought the crowd to its feet when it sprang into its 5-0 lead after two minutes. Center Deward Compton dropped in all the points for the Cards.

The surprised Wildcats called for time out, then proceeded to roll up 14 points without interruption to take a nine-point lead after five minutes.

Kentucky had opened up a 51-33 bulge early in the second half, then Louisville whittled the winners' lead to 11 points, 51-40. The unworried Wildcats, speeding up their fast-breaking style to a whirlwind drive, simply left their opponents lagging behind as they rolled an amazing total of 22 points in the next six minutes to zoom into a 73-47 advantage and break the game wide open.

The Oilers, en route to their 60th win against only three defeats this season, collected 17 points tonight in the first 10 minutes of the second half while holding their opponents to a mere three. Leading by 30 points, 49-19, the Oklahomans deliberately eased up in the last 10 minutes which resulted in several meaningless Y. M. C. A. baskets.

Gerald Kurland, who saw only 20 minutes of action, was tied with Teammate R. C. Pitts for scoring honors. Each tallied 12 points.

Tom Gallagher led the losers with 10 points. He was the only Brooklyn player to sink more than two baskets.

A crowd of 9,251, the smallest to see a basketball doubleheader at the Garden this season, watched two rousing games which were not decided until the final minute of play. In fact, Baylor did not win its game until the final 45 seconds.

It was a wild and wooly game in which the lead changed 18 times. The issue was in doubt until James Owen snapped the 15th tie of the contest with his one-hander, a hard, desperate throw which dropped in without touching the backboard.

The Texans then froze the ball, passing up at least two opportunities for free throws to keep possession as the New Yorkers fought unsuccessfully to gain control.

In the semi-finals Monday night, Baylor will meet the winner of tonight's quarter-final battle between Louisville and Kentucky. Kentucky defeated Baylor earlier this week in the N. C. A. A. finals.

Sportsman Dreams Up Fresh Worries For John Q. Crow

SHREVEPORT, La., March 27.—(AP)—When it comes to hunting crows, Will Mercer, of Taylortown, La., has the very latest equipment. He adds the benefits of his own skills to be sure of a good day's shooting.

It was at a recent meeting of the Caddo Wild Life Federation that Mercer displayed his new crow-hunting kit, which includes three decoys—two crows and an owl.

And at the meeting, Mercer surprised the members with a few unexpected "caws"—his special skill.

The dummy crows are black with the proper tinge of blue around their necks. They're realistic enough to fool people. And Mercer says they dupe crows, too.

The decoy owl is equipped with two faces and is extremely effective in luring crows within range, Mercer said.

"Owls and crows are natural enemies," Mercer explained. "In the field, I prop the owl on a fence post or in a tree. The crow decoys are nearby. Then I start calling."

The hunter explained that there are five or six "languages" among crows. He has converted a hawk-caller into a crow-caller, but because its vocabulary is limited, he has perfected his own imitations of the birds.

"There's a different caw for young crows, old crows, mad crows and crows in distress," he explained. Those are in addition to just plain caws for placid, middle-aged crows.

With the imitation owl apparently minding his own business on the fence post, Mercer broadcasts a few "mad" caws, or perhaps the distress signal. Genuine crows flock around to see what causes the commotion, and when they see the owl, they dive for the attack.

"That's when you shoot," Mercer advised. "Those crows will bat against the owl and you have to have it nailed or wedged into place so they won't be able to knock it over."

Even an amateur who doesn't know crow codes can recognize the difference in the several calls Mercer has perfected. They've all got the raucous rasp that is familiar as the crow's call, but there is a difference in each one that substantiates Mercer's identification. His "quotations" show the difference between unperturbed old crows and those that need help.

Crows provide excellent sport and hunting, according to Mercer. He has it all figured out.

"They are smart birds and aren't easily fooled. Another advantage is that there is no limit and no closed season on crows. It's year-round hunting. Ducks and the like are all right, but they're limited. Crows offer the same sport," Mercer said.

Evidently his imitations are convincing for crows, too, because even before he added the decoy equipment to his repertoire of tricks, he was able to shoot 88 crows in one day.

Crows are very destructive to crops, pulling up young corn, which they do not want, being one of their traits.

Tag Team Scramble To Feature Tuesday's Mat Card At Kallio's

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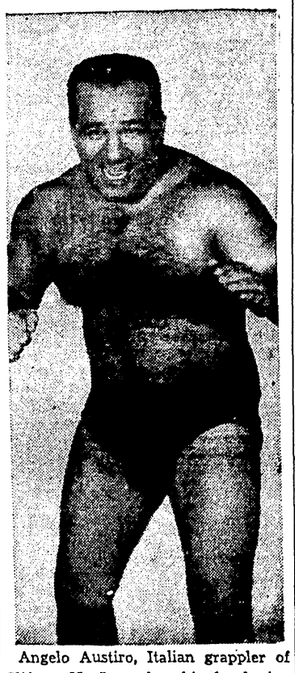


Angelo Austiro, Italian grappler of Clifton, N. J., makes his local ring debut Tuesday night when he pairs with Bobby Segura, light-heavy champ of Mexico, in a tag team bout against Mel Peters and Bill Barney at Gus Kallio's Arena.

Peters And Barney To Show Wares Against Segura And Austiro

Mel Peters and Bobby Segura, leading contenders for the world's light heavyweight wrestling belt worn by Charlie Laye, will be working in opposite corners here Tuesday night when Promoter Gus Kallio offers a tag team scramble as the night's feature event.

Peters, the Portland, Ore., challenger who has had more "misfires" in his bids for title scraps than any wrestlers showing hereabouts in recent months, will have as his partner Bill Barney, the West Monroe mechanic who is usually busy in the ring as referee.

Siding Segura, light heavyweight champion of Mexico, will be Angelo Austiro, an Italian battler of Clifton, N. J., who will be appearing before Promoter Kallio's customers for the first time.

Peters and Barney appeared in style here last Tuesday when Peters beat Laye in a non-title bout that had previously billed as a rematch title affair to settle a draw decision of a week before, and Barney, ditching his refereeing chores for a while, won a straight falls victory over Bob Castle, toughie from Toledo, Ohio.

Promoter Kallio last night said he would bring Pat Cronin, Jackson, Miss., to Monroe to work as referee Tuesday.

The tag team tussle will have a time limit of 90 minutes with two falls to win.

A pair of one-fall preliminaries will start the show at 8 o'clock with Barney appearing for a tuneup against Austiro or Segura, and Peters taking his introductory bow against the battler Barney fails to draw.

EXHIBITION RESULTS

CARDS BLANK YANKS

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals blanked the New York Yankees, 3-0 today behind the two hit pitching of Al Brazle and Red Munger.

Score by innings:

St. Louis (N)	200	000	100	3	9	0
New York (A)	000	000	000	0	2	1

Brazle, Munger (7) and Wilber; Shea, Gumbert (7) and Lollar.

TIGERS EDGE NATS

LAKELAND, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—Home runs by Mickey Vernon and Catcher Al Evans knocked across five runs for the Washington Senators today but the slugging didn't prevent the Nats from dropping a narrow 8 to 7 exhibition baseball verdict to the Detroit Tigers.

Score by innings:

Washington (A) .	300	010	003	7	10	5
Detroit (A)	001	201	40x	8	12	1

Hudson, Pieretti (6) and Evans; Newhouser, Overmire (8), Houtteman (9) and Riebe.

REDS ROUT BOSOX

TAMPA, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—Left Fielder Clyde Vollmer drove in four Cincinnati runs with a pair of homers today as the Reds walloped the erring Boston Red Sox, 11-3.

Score by innings:

Boston (A)	100	200	000	3	5	5
Cincinnati (N) ..	210	003	41x	11	9	1

Johnson, Parnell (7), Stobbs (8), and Batts; Vander Meer, Gumbert (6) and Mueller, Williams (6).

A's SHUT OUT BRAVES

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics blanked the Boston Braves 4 to 0 today to win their fourth victory in five major league exhibitions.

Score by innings:

Boston (N)	000	000	000	0	7	0
Philadelphia (A).	010	010	02x	4	9	1

Epperly, Elliott (6) and Kerry; Brissie, Coleman (6) and Rosar.

GIANTS WIN AGAIN

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—(AP)—The New York Giants made it two in a row over the San Francisco Seals in their 3-game exhibitions series, winning 1 to 0, before 6,749 paid spectators today.

Score by innings:

New York (N).....	000	000	100	1	6	1
San Francisco (PC).	000	000	000	0	5	3

Lee, Jones (4), Hallett (8) and Livingston; Fine and Leonard, Howell (8).

OAKS STOP PIRATES

Oakland, Calif., March 7.—(AP)—The Oakland Oaks of the Pacific Coast League today defeated the Pittsburgh Pirates, 4 to 1.

Score by innings:

Pittsburgh (N)	010	000	000	1	2	0
Oakland (PC)	012	100	00x	4	8	0

Higbee, Riddle (5) Fritz Gerald, Hafey, Buxton (8) and Lillard.

TRAVS BLANK SPORTS

SHREVEPORT, La., March 27.—(AP)—The Little Rock Travelers of the Southern Association blanked the Shreveport Sports, 2-0, here today, all of the scoring coming in the first inning when the visitors nicked Vern Williamson for four hits, including two singles, one double and a triple by Ben Cantrell.

Luke Hamilton and Wes Livengood limited the Sports to three safeties, two made by Milan Vucelich, Sport centerfielder.

Score by innings:

Little Rock	200	000	000	2	9	2
Shreveport	000	000	000	0	3	3

Hamilton, Livengood (6) and Nelson; Williamson, Love (6), Mann (8) and Souza.

PELS NIP OILERS

NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—(AP)—The New Orleans Pelicans of the Southern Association showed some effective pitching and errorless fielding here today in beating the Tulsa Oilers of the Texas League, 5 to 4.

Pel Pitchers Jim Patton and Lloyd Dietz blanked the Oilers with three hits for eight innings, but the Tulsans teed off on youngster Joe Gautreaux in the ninth for all their runs. Southpaw Johnny Copple went in to strike out the last batter with the bases loaded.

Score by innings:

Tulsa	000	000	004	4	7	3
New Orleans	010	301	00x	5	7	0

Warren, Nuxall, Haney and Neiman; Patton, Dietz, Gautreaux, Copple and Dunnack.

BROWNS BEAT CHISOX

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 27.—(AP)—Gerry Priddy drove in six runs with a grand-slam homer and a double to pace the St. Louis Browns over the Chicago White Sox 7-3 today.

Score by innings:

St. Louis (A) ..	004	000	210	7	13	1
Chicago (A)	011	010	000	3	9	0

Stanford, Widmar (7) and Moss; Brunswick, Albosta (5), Goodwin (9) and Robinson, Plumbo (6).

INDIANS TRIM CUBS

LOS ANGELES, March 27.—(AP)—Home runs by Lou Boudreau and Hank Edwards gave the Cleveland Indians a 4-3 decision over the Chicago Cubs today.

Both circuit clouts were in the 3-run third inning at the expense of Hank Borowy.

Cleveland (A) ..	003	010	000	4	7	2
Chicago (N)	200	000	001	3	10	2

Lemon, Beardon (8) and Hegan; Borowy, Schmitz (4), Meyer (7) and McCullough.

DODGERS TRIUMPH

CIUDAD TRUJILLO, D. R., March 27.—(AP)—Two consecutive errors in the 10th inning by Montreal Centerfielder Joe Tepsic gave the Brooklyn Dodgers of the National League their 13th straight grapefruit league baseball victory today, 6-5.

Montreal (1)	002	010	200	0	5	8	4
Brooklyn (N) ..	110	003	000	1	6	10	5

Sloat, Podbielon (6) Shallock (10) and Daper, Campanella (6); Branca, Taylor (7), C. Van Cuyk (10) and Hodges, Bragan (7).

DILLARD SCORES AGAIN FOR BALDWIN-WALLACE

LAFAYETTE, Ind., March 27.—(AP)—Harrison Dillard, the human steeplechaser, twice carried the golden silk of Baldwin-Wallace to victory tonight in the Purdue Relays, last big collegiate track show of the indoor season.

He tied the American indoor record of 6.8 seconds he set in last year's Purdue show for the 60-yard low hurdles, then ran the 60-yard high in 7.4 seconds to tie the relays record set by Charles Hlad of Chicago in 1943.

WILL MAKE CHANGES

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 27.—(AP)—Young Charles Comiskey, who one day will head the Chicago White Sox, says "some changes are going to be made. If we can't do business with some of the other major league clubs, maybe we can find some triple A players who are better than we have. We'll make some changes, and some of them may surprise you."

TULANE WINS

NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—(AP)—Tulane and Northwestern Universities each got ten hits here yesterday, but the locals bunched theirs better and beat the Illinois baseballers 11 to 5. Warren Perkins of Tulane and George Tourek of Northwestern slammed homers.

Carrying On

Arm amputee patients and bowling enthusiasts at the Army's Walter Reed hospital in Washington enjoy their favorite sport with the aid of a new type artificial arm. At left, Capt. Burke M. Sonw examines the rubber suction cup assembly of Sgt. Archie Noel. At right, Harold Carlson is about to reach the point where the cup releases the ball.

Organized Ball For Juveniles Grows With Nation-Wide Scope

By W. Boyd Tobias

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., March 27.—(NEA)—Organized baseball for juveniles is rapidly developing nation-wide prominence.

Organized here in 1939 by Carl E. Stotz, the game for eight to 12-year-olds is played under conditions simulating major league competition.

Little League or Midget League baseball, as it is sometimes called, was designed to eliminate the choose-up-sides, corner-lot brand of ball known to most youngsters.

The Little League is completely uniformed and equipped and plays the national game on its own diamonds under competent supervision.

Since '39 the organization has grown into 79 Little League teams.

Animated by Williamsport's enthusiasm, sports enthusiasts inquired into this new idea of juvenile ball playing.

That's how it came about that South Williamsport, Jersey Shore, Lock Haven, Montgomery, Watsontown, Muncy, Montoursville, and other communities of North-Central Pennsylvania took up Little League baseball.

The idea spread to neighboring states where kids who until a few years ago did all their ball playing in haphazard fashion on vacant lots are now cavorting in snappy uniforms on miniature diamonds constructed especially for them.

Little League's small diamonds have 60-foot baselines and the pitcher's box is 40 feet four inches from home plate, or two-thirds regulation size.

The boys swing bats from 30 to 31 inches in length, but gloves, except catchers' mitts and first baseman's gloves, are full-size.

Changes in baseball rules also were found advisable. A batter may not advance to first base on a called third strike and base runners may not steal until the ball has been delivered and has passed the batter.

The use of pitchers is controlled by a special rule which prescribes the number of innings a boy may pitch in a week in regularly scheduled games.

This serves the double purpose of preventing a kid pitcher from ruining his throwing arm and eliminates the possibility of one star pitcher carrying his team to the title.

Playing fields are complete in every detail, simulating big league standards as closely as possible. They are completely fenced, presenting a natural home run boundary.

Concrete dugouts, a club house press box, a public address system with attachments for the playing of recordings between innings, an electric scoreboard controlled from the club house, bull pens, and bleachers are standard facilities.

The established Little League diamonds have chairs for the use of notables among their guests and there are cushions to be loaned to fans who find the bleacher seats too hard.

Utmost care is given by the men heading the various leagues to the selection of team managers. Under competent and fair management the boys learn clean sportsmanship and conduct themselves like gentlemen on and off the diamond.

Only skilled umpires and scorekeepers are used.

There is no admission charge to Little League games, but collections are taken. The fans, 75 or 80 per cent of whom are adults, contribute liberally.

The cost of equipping the teams is borne largely by the business firms or clubs sponsoring the various nines.

The names of these sponsoring agents are lettered across the front of the players' shirts.

Naturally, the playing personnel of the various teams changes annually as 12-year-old boys become too old for Little League competition.

And, there is the problem of preventing any one team monopolizing the best boy players and thus making a runaway of the league championship.

The first problem is solved through a farm system patterned somewhat after the major leagues.

Boys hopeful of making the grade in Little League company play in the mornings and endeavor through practice to improve their playing ability until they are able to hold up their end in the fast varsity competition.

Too many stars on any one team is avoided largely through designation of definite school areas from which each team can recruit its players. Officials of the Little League setup visit the various public and parochial schools and issue invitations to the boys to come out for the teams.

At the close of each season there is an annual banquet at which championship trophies are awarded and medals distributed in recognition of individual performance.

Last year Little League baseball had its first national tournament with teams from two states representing seven communities.

Held in Williamsport, the Little League Park at Memorial Field was inadequate to accommodate the turnout.

At present there is a movement afoot to have Little League baseball sponsored on a national scale. Two or three big concerns whose products are distributed throughout the nation are interested.

One of the ardent boosters of Little League baseball is Thomas H. Richardson, president of the Eastern League, a Class A circuit.

Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics has become so absorbed in Little League baseball he has made special trips to see the kids in action. And the kids love him.

Olla

Mrs. Georgia Brooks, a former nurse in the LaSalle Parish Hospital, is critically ill in Greenwell Springs Hospital.

Mrs. Thomas Goslin of Ruston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence King.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. King of Baton Rouge arrived Tuesday to spend several days with Mr. King's father, Dr. T. E. King.

C. E. Heider is a business visitor in Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Ted Nethery and Dolores spent Wednesday in Tullos with Mr. and Mrs. Felton Hawthorne.

Miss Margie Dell Morris of Springhill visited homefolks last Sunday.

Mrs. Zelma Morris and son, Eddie, have returned from Monroe where they were guests of the Dewey Haynes family.

William Holloman is in the Urania Clinic recovering from an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burris, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wood and son, Kenneth, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kemp of Baton Rouge last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Strozier spent Sunday in Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bailey and small son of Vivian were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harris, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lively visited relatives in Grapeland, Texas, last week.

The Friday night cottage prayer meeting was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Meredith.

Mrs. Phil Gilmore, of Tullos, was the guest Saturday of Mrs. Bryant Strozier.

Mrs. N. M. Kinman, of Winnfield, was the house guest of her sister, Mrs. J. G. Hicks, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Meador and Mrs. Leon Brooks attended the Founders' Day program of Delta Kappa Gamma sorority at Winnfield in the home of Mrs. Zelma Long Frazer March 20.

Miss Elaine Connady, of Perkinston, Miss., is visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Brown are the parents of a daughter born March 12.

Parnela Etheridge, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Etheridge, celebrated her second birthday Tuesday with a party.

Present were: Bobby McCartney; Charles and LeLand Morgan; Rickey and Mike Parham; Nancy Flowers; Libbie Brooks; Delaris Netherly; Willard Wayne; Johnnie Etheridge; Mike Wolfe; Mackie Etheridge.

FEAR TRICKY KNEE MAY NIP MARION'S BASEBALL CAREER

Mr. Shortstop 'Really Worried' Unless Trouble Is Corrected

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—Marty (Mr. Shortstop) Marion fears an injury jinx that helped prevent the St. Louis Cardinals from repeating as National League champions last year, may end his baseball career.

Marion's left knee, which he hurt in a slide last year, is acting up again, and caused him to leave the training field yesterday with the remark that he didn't expect to play ball again unless the trouble is corrected.

Martin Marion

"I'm really worried," the 30-year-old veteran of eight seasons with the Cardinals declared. "I tried to lean forward for a ground ball and fell right on my face. I can't imagine what it is."

Recent X-ray photographs showed no bone injury. Marion thought the trouble might be a bad cartillage, but Doc Weaver, club trainer, told him he could find no sign of such a thing.

"In ordinary walking it does not bother me," Marion said, "but when I try to walk up steps or to put pressure on my knee to one side or the other, or try to bend down on it, I know there's something wrong. As long as it's in that condition I can't play baseball."

Manager Eddie Dyer was a little more optimistic. He said Dr. Robert F. Hyland, club surgeon, had expressed belief there was nothing seriously wrong and had advised further heat treatment.

Hyland is due here Monday and is expected to give the shortstop another examination.

Marion, regarded as one of the greatest shortstops the game has ever produced, is also a dangerous hitter. He batted .272 last season and drove in 74 runs. His loss to the team for any considerable time would be a severe blow to Cardinal pennant chances.

Injuries and illness among key players last year caused the Cardinals to be left at the post and prevented them from overtaking the Brooklyn Dodgers in spite of a fine mid-season comeback.

Okaloosa

Newsom L. Coon spent the week-end in Alexandria with his mother, Mrs. Martha G. Coon, who is seriously ill in the Baptist Hospital.

Melton Clampitt, attending L. S. U. at Baton Rouge, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clampitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Saulsbury of Chatham spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Saulsbury.

E. J. Hendricks, Jr., of the U. S. Navy, spent a 30-day furlough with his parents and has returned to Key West, Fla.

Mrs. Mary Bonnett is visiting with Monroe relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Bush, Eastland Wright and Mrs. Ona Holestead were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hendricks, Sr., recently.

The Okaloosa Home Demonstration Club will meet April 13 in the home of Mrs. Inice George.

SATISFIED

COLLEGE PARK, Md.—Jim Tatum, Maryland's head football coach, has been named as the possible mentor at five different colleges in the past month. Tatum, though, said that he would remain with the Terps for another season at least.

GOLD CUP IS RIGHT

NEW YORK—The Jockey Club Gold Cup at Belmont Park becomes another of the country's $100,000 stakes, Oct. 2.

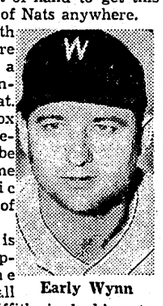
Griffith Says Nats Rebuilding, But Fans Wondering With What

By Harry Grayson

ORLANDO, Fla., March 27.—(NEA)—Looking at the Washington club, you know why Clark Griffith made Joe Kuhel manager.

Kuhel is a member of the American Society of Magicians, knows all the hat tricks and such, but it will take more than sleight-of-hand to get this quaint collection of Nats anywhere.

Owner Griffith says the Nats are rebuilding, but a lot of people wonder with what. Even the Old Fox admits the aggregation may be worse than some of the Athletic prize packages of the past.



Early Wynn

Washington is the one club happy about the Browns selling all that talent. Griffith is looking toward the Browns as an eight-place cushion on which to rest another seventh-place club, but even the Brownies may outscramble the current collection of Washington odds and ends.

Gone is the entire 1947 outfield—Spence to Boston, Grace to Pittsburgh, and Lewis and Case into business.

Jerry Priddy, who knows his way around second base, went to the Browns for $25,000, when Johnny Berardino preferred Cleveland to Washington.

So whatever hope the Senators have rests in second baseman Al Kozar and the agile outfielder, Gil Coan.

Kozar, who came from the Red Sox in the Stan Spence deal, manufactured 38 doubles, 12 triples, batting .339 and driving in 75 runs for New Orleans.

"Our scouts didn't get a single 'if' or 'but' on him," says Kuhel, hopefully.

Coan is getting his third trial although the Brevard College alumnus is not yet 24. With Chattanooga last term, he had 34 doubles, 17 triples, 22 home runs, and scored 126 runs, batting .340. He has excessive speed, bunts and drags the ball well. Closing out last season with the parent club, he hit .500 in 11 games.

The Washington pitching is good enough with Wynn, Masterson, Haefner, Hudson, Scarborough and some more.

Chief of scouts Wish Egan of Detroit says Early Wynn was the best pitcher in the American League last year.

"Given an even break, Wynn would have won 23 games, had we hit a lick behind him," asserts Clyde Milan.

Ray Scarborough was another victim of the Senator's low-run production. His teammates did not score a run for him in six straight games, not in one of which was he hit hard.

The Senators possess an excellent relief worker in huge Tom Ferrick, have Milo Candini and some more. Scott Carey, a little left-hander, looked good against two or three clubs last season. Kuhel is stuck on Ray Garcia, a big Cuban right-hander who pitched for Lefty Gomez' Yankees in the Havana Winter League.

Mickey Vernon, whose league-leading .353 batting average of 1946 dropped to .265 last term, is at first base, of course, and Mark Christman will again wind up at shortstop. Johnny Sullivan has a scatter arm and doesn't hit enough.

Third baseman Eddie Yost is a corker at coming in and picking up sdow rollers with his meat hand, but the New York lad hit only .238 in 1947.

The outfield has Coan in left, Sherry Robertson in right, and Tom McBride or Leon Culbertson in center.

Earl Wooten ,24 years old, and on the small side at five-11 and 160 pounds, batted .293 for Chattanooga, and has a chance in center field. He can play the outfield for anybody's money, covers a lot of territory, has a splendid arm.

Wooten would be a big improvement over either McBride or Culbertson and considerable help if he could hit .270.

Griffith had to make a deal for a catcher, or restore the 41-year-old coach, Rick Ferrell, to the active list, as he did last year. Behind Al Evans were only Ken McCreight, who has caught only 27 games in a B league since leaving the University of Southern California; Len Okrie, who finished last season with Des Moines after spending the bulk of it in Class D; and Harold Keller, a brother of the Yankees' Charlie, who has had no professional experience.

As a pilot, Kuhel is as inexperienced as many of his players. He has been at it exactly one year, having spent last season with Hot Springs, Ark., of the class C Cotton States League.

Back with Washington, where he spent his greatest years at first base, Manager Kuhel, under the present dreary set-up, feels perfectly at home.

Farmerville

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Spear, of Monroe, spent the week-end with Mrs. Spear's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davidson spent Sunday at Pineville in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Willet with their aunt, Miss Bertha Cobb.

Mrs. F. E. Monzingo is visiting Miss Joe Ann Monzingo at Sherman, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Ramsey and children spent the week-end at El Dorado with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Strother.

Mrs. T. S. White and daughter, Brenda spent Friday and Saturday at El Dorado with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Yarborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hughes spent the week-end at Greenwood and Durant, Miss., with relatives. Mrs. Hughes remained for a few days' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Tugwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Roberts and daughter, Ossie Jean and Mrs. W. C. Tugwell spent Sunday at Bastrop with Dr. and Mrs. O. L. Tugwell and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Works.

Mrs. A. C. Dykes, Miss Faye Baughman and Miss Olivia Barr, of Farmerville, accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Colvin, of Bernice, attended the Pilgrimage at Natchez, Miss., Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. F. Rabun joined a party Wednesday in Monroe for the Natchez Pilgrimage.

The following have been selected to serve as petit jurors at the April term of Union parish court, beginning April 19th:

Ward 1: J. G. Odom, and James A. Rabun.

Ward 3: Jonah Herron, Robert Smith, Frank Smith, Oliver Turnage, Noah Aycock, E. H. Casterberry, H. G. Holloway, Jake Risinger, Emmett Tucler and Edward Futch.

Ward 4: Kermit Pilgreen, H. G. Shaw, Clyde Jaclson, J. W. Gray, Garrett Fitzgerald, John Max White.

Ward 5: T. M. Albritton, C. C. Clark, S. F. Bearden.

Ward 7: Melvin Armstrong, E. H. Malone, Travis Howard.

Ward 8: Omar D. Hollis, Herman Kinley, J. B. Lankford.

Ward 9: Horace Silmon, E. J. Smith and S. J. Davis.

The Biblical implication that a person is never without honor save in his own country, does not apply to the Farmerville School faculty. They have showered honors and praise on Mrs. Hazel Toler Harston, one of their fellow workers, for having one of her juvenile stories published in a current issues of Dew Drops magagine.

The story, "How Herman Got His Curly Tail," is ably illustrated by Ruth Van Tellengen, and relates the sad plight of a little duck who could not get his tail feathers to curl. In a family of twelve duck children, Herman was the only one with such obstinate tail feathers, and they provoked many humiliating trails.

Mrs. Harston possesses a talent for painting fascinating word pictures. This talent has been nurished and developed by observing the needs of little children, and meeting that need by giving them an appropriate story, whether it be in her school room, her Sunday School or Sunbeam class.

Having taught in the Union parish school system for a number of years, Mrs. Harston followed her husband during his service in the States, but even then, she found time to tell stories to little children while employed in Kindergarten school at Linda Vista, California. She now teaches first grade in the Farmerville school, and has recently begun compiling and preparing for publication a number of her stories, which seemed to have the greatest appeal for little children. Florence Hale, editor of The Grade Teacher, is holding two of Mrs. Harston's stories for later publication.

Mrs. George Peacock was called to Eudora, Ark., Saturday to the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Evans.

Sgt. Maurry Ward of New York spent last week in Farmerville with his mother, Mrs. Will Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thorgerson, of Baton Rouge, spent Friday and Saturday with their mother, Mrs. John W. Taylor.

Mrs. Lester Hartman and daughter, Miss Ruth, spent the week-end at Rayville with her sister, Mrs. Sidney Wynn, and attended the church wedding of Dr. Dianne Sortar and Dr. Al Goggins on Saturday night. Mr. Lester Man and Miss Gussie Fenton joined them at Rayville for the day Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Linam spent the week-end at Texarkana with relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Ramsey, of Shreveport, spent the week-end at their home in Farmerville.

Mrs. W. M. Parker, of Monroe, was the guest of Mrs. James Rabun in the home of Mrs. J. D. Baughman Saturday.

Mrs. V. M. Digby and daughter, Edith, of Ruston, were guests of Mrs. Ed. Everett Saturday.

Miss Marie Miller, of Lake Charles, spent the week-end in Farmerville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller.

Mrs. Charlie Beale visited her sister, Mrs. Bob Church at Monroe last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lettleton, Mr. Joaquin Tettleton and Mrs. A. C. Blanchard, Jr., have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chapman at Orange, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gray and Mr. Van Tettleton at San Angelo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roan spent the week-end at Texarkana with Mr. and Mrs. Juddy Rogers. Mrs. Rogers and little daughter, Beverly Sue returned home with them for a week's stay.

Mrs. Dorothy Perryman Wright and brother, Mr. Fred Perryman, of Beaumont, Texas spent the week here with their aunts, Mrs. Effie Slawson, Mrs. Georgia Fenton and Mrs. W. A. Crider.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cobb and Mrs. L. C. Cobb attended the funeral of Mr. B. Edwards at Mt. Lebanon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Blanchard, Jr., spent the week-end at Baton Rouge with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Murphy, of Monroe, spent Sunday with Mrs. Murphy's mother, Mrs. Georgia Fenton.

Mrs. R. W. Everett and little son Steve, of Gibsland, were guests of Mr. Everett Sunday.

Miss Sarah Johnson, of Monroe, was the guest of Mrs. Grayson Odom Sunday.

KENTUCKY, BAYLOR WIN 1ST OLYMPIC TESTS

PHILLIPS OILERS, DENVER NUGGETS ALSO VICTORIOUS

Basketball Tryouts Will Be Resumed At Garden Tomorrow Night

NEW YORK, March 27.—(AP)—Kentucky's Wildcats spotted Louisville University a 5-0 lead, then came roaring back to swamp the N. A. I. B. champions, 91-57, at Madison Square Garden tonight to reach the semi-final round of the Olympic basketball trials.

Kentucky will meet Baylor University Monday night. The Wildcats already have whipped the Texas quintet in the N. C. A. A. finals last Tuesday. Baylor advanced by nipping New York University, 59-57, in an afternoon contest. The Phillips Oilers of Bartlesville, Okla., National A. A. U. champions, will engage the Denver Nuggets in the other game of the twin bill. Denver qualified by defeating the Oakland Bittners, 57-55, in the afternoon, while the Oilers trampled Brooklyn's Y. M. C. A. champions, 74-32, in tonight's first game.

Louisville, 3-point underdog, brought the crowd to its feet when it sprang into its 5-0 lead after two minutes. Center Deward Compton dropped in all the points for the Cards.

The surprised Wildcats called for time out, then proceeded to roll up 14 points without interruption to take a nine-point lead after five minutes.

Kentucky had opened up a 51-33 bulge early in the second half, then Louisville whittled the winners' lead to 11 points, 51-40. The unworried Wildcats, speeding up their fast-breaking style to a whirlwind drive, simply left their opponents lagging behind as they rolled an amazing total of 22 points in the next six minutes to zoom into a 73-47 advantage and break the game wide open.

The Oilers, en route to their 60th win against only three defeats this season, collected 17 points tonight in the first 10 minutes of the second half while holding their opponents to a mere three. Leading by 30 points, 49-19, the Oklahomans deliberately eased up in the last 10 minutes which resulted in several meaningless Y. M. C. A. baskets.

Gerald Kurland, who saw only 20 minutes of action, was tied with Teammate R. C. Pitts for scoring honors. Each tallied 12 points.

Tom Gallagher led the losers with 10 points. He was the only Brooklyn player to sink more than two baskets.

A crowd of 9,251, the smallest to see a basketball doubleheader at the Garden this season, watched two rousing games which were not decided until the final minute of play. In fact, Baylor did not win its game until the final 45 seconds.

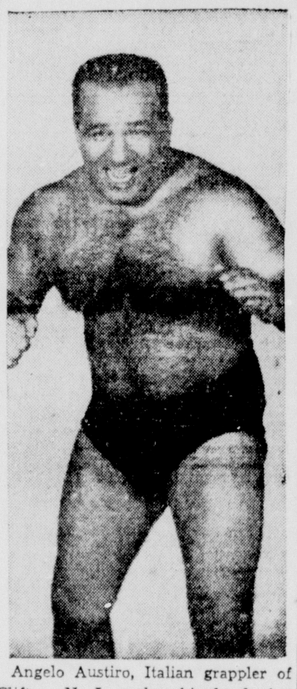
It was a wild and wooly game in which the lead changed 18 times. The issue was in doubt until James Owen snapped the 15th tie of the contest with his one-hander, a hard, desperate throw which dropped in without touching the backboard.

The Texans then froze the ball, passing up at least two opportunities for free throws to keep possession as the New Yorkers fought unsuccessfully to gain control.

In the semi-finals Monday night, Baylor will meet the winner of tonight's quarter-final battle between Louisville and Kentucky. Kentucky defeated Baylor earlier this week in the N. C. A. A. finals.

Tag Team Scramble To Feature Tuesday's Mat Card At Kallio's

MAKES DEBUT



Angelo Austiro, Italian grappler of Clifton, N. J., makes his local ring debut Tuesday night when he pairs with Bobby Segura, light-heavy champ of Mexico, in a tag team bout against Mel Peters and Bill Barney at Gus Kallio's Arena.

Peters And Barney To Show Wares Against Segura And Austiro

Mel Peters and Bobby Segura, leading contenders for the world's light heavyweight wrestling belt worn by Charlie Laye, will be working in opposite corners here Tuesday night when Promoter Gus Kallio offers a tag team scramble as the night's feature event.

Peters, the Portland, Ore., challenger who has had more "misfires" in his bids for title scraps than any wrestlers showing hereabouts in recent months, will have as his partner Bill Barney, the West Monroe mechanic who is usually busy in the ring as referee.

Siding Segura, light heavyweight champion of Mexico, will be Angelo Austiro, an Italian battler of Clifton, N. J., who will be appearing before Promoter Kallio's customers for the first time.

Peters and Barney appeared in style here last Tuesday when Peters beat Laye in a non-title bout that had previously billed as a rematch title affair to settle a draw decision of a week before, and Barney, ditching his refereeing chores for a while, won a straight falls victory over Bob Castle, toughie from Toledo, Ohio.

Promoter Kallio last night said he would bring Pat Cronin, Jackson, Miss., to Monroe to work as referee Tuesday.

The tag team tussle will have a time limit of 90 minutes with two falls to win.

A pair of one-fall preliminaries will start the show at 8 o'clock with Barney appearing for a tuneup against Austiro or Segura, and Peters taking his introductory bow against the battler Barney fails to draw.

EXHIBITION RESULTS

CARDS BLANK YANKS

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals blanked the New York Yankees, 3-0 today behind the two hit pitching of Al Brazle and Red Munger.

Score by innings:

St. Louis (N)	200	000	100	3	9	0
New York (A)	000	000	000	0	2	1

Brazle, Munger (7) and Wilber; Shea, Gumbert (7) and Lollar.

TIGERS EDGE NATS

LAKELAND, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—Home runs by Mickey Vernon and Catcher Al Evans knocked across five runs for the Washington Senators today but the slugging didn't prevent the Nats from dropping a narrow 8 to 7 exhibition baseball verdict to the Detroit Tigers.

Score by innings:

Washington (A)	300	010	003	7	10	5
Detroit (A)	001	201	40x	8	12	1

Hudson, Pieretti (6) and Evans; Newhouser, Overmire (8), Houtteman (9) and Riebe.

REDS ROUT BOSOX

TAMPA, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—Left Fielder Clyde Vollmer drove in four Cincinnati runs with a pair of homers today as the Reds walloped the erring Boston Red Sox, 11-3.

Score by innings:

Boston (A)	100	200	000	3	5	5
Cincinnati (N)	210	003	41x	11	9	1

Johnson, Parnell (7), Stobbs (8), and Batts; Vander Meer, Gumbert (6) and Mueller, Williams (6).

A's SHUT OUT BRAVES

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics blanked the Boston Braves 4 to 0 today to win their fourth victory in five major league exhibitions.

Score by innings:

Boston (N)	000	000	000	0	7	0
Philadelphia (A)	010	010	02x	4	9	1

Epperly, Elliott (6) and Kerry; Brissie, Coleman (6) and Rosar.

GIANTS WIN AGAIN

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—(AP)—The New York Giants made it two in a row over the San Francisco Seals in their 3-game exhibitions series, winning 1 to 0, before 6,749 paid spectators today.

Score by innings:

New York (N)	000	000	100	1	6	1
San Francisco (PC)	000	000	000	0	5	3

Lee, Jones (4), Hallett (8) and Livingston; Fine and Leonard, Howell (8).

OAKS STOP PIRATES

Oakland, Calif., March 7.—(AP)—The Oakland Oaks of the Pacific Coast League today defeated the Pittsburgh Pirates, 4 to 1.

Score by innings:

Pittsburgh (N)	010	000	000	1	2	0
Oakland (PC)	012	100	00x	4	8	0

Higbee, Riddle (5) Fritz Gerald, Hafey, Buxton (8) and Lillard.

TRAVS BLANK SPORTS

SHREVEPORT, La., March 27.—(AP)—The Little Rock Travelers of the Southern Association blanked the Shreveport Sports, 2-0, here today, all of the scoring coming in the first inning when the visitors nicked Vern Williamson for four hits, including two singles, one double and a triple by Ben Cantrell.

Luke Hamilton and Wes Livengood limited the Sports to three safeties, two made by Milan Vucelich, Sport centerfielder.

Score by innings:

Little Rock	200	000	000	2	9	2
Shreveport	000	000	000	0	3	3

Hamilton, Livengood (6) and Nelson; Williamson, Love (6), Mann (8) and Souza.

PELS NIP OILERS

NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—(AP)—The New Orleans Pelicans of the Southern Association showed some effective pitching and errorless fielding here today in beating the Tulsa Oilers of the Texas League, 5 to 4.

Pel Pitchers Jim Patton and Lloyd Dietz blanked the Oilers with three hits for eight innings, but the Tulsans teed off on youngster Joe Gautreaux in the ninth for all their runs. Southpaw Johnny Copple went in to strike out the last batter with the bases loaded.

Score by innings:

Tulsa	000	000	004	4	7	3
New Orleans	010	301	00x	5	7	0

Warren, Nuxall, Haney and Neiman; Patton, Dietz, Gautreaux, Copple and Dunnack.

BROWNS BEAT CHISOX

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 27.—(AP)—Gerry Priddy drove in six runs with a grand-slam homer and a double to pace the St. Louis Browns over the Chicago White Sox 7-3 today.

Score by innings:

St. Louis (A)	004	000	210	7	13	1
Chicago (A)	011	010	000	3	9	0

Stanford, Widmar (7) and Moss; Brunswick, Albosta (5), Goodwin (9) and Robinson, Plumbo (6).

INDIANS TRIM CUBS

LOS ANGELES, March 27.—(AP)—Home runs by Lou Boudreau and Hank Edwards gave the Cleveland Indians a 4-3 decision over the Chicago Cubs today.

Both circuit clouts were in the 3-run third inning at the expense of Hank Borowy.

Cleveland (A)	003	010	000	4	7	2
Chicago (N)	200	000	001	3	10	2

Lemon, Beardon (8) and Hegan; Borowy, Schmitz (4), Meyer (7) and McCullough.

DODGERS TRIUMPH

CIUDAD TRUJILLO, D. R., March 27.—(AP)—Two consecutive errors in the 10th inning by Montreal Centerfielder Joe Tepsic gave the Brooklyn Dodgers of the National League their 13th straight grapefruit league baseball victory today, 6-5.

Montreal (I)	002	010	200	0	5	8	4
Brooklyn (N)	110	003	000	1	6	10	5

Sloat, Podbielon (6) Shallock (10) and Daper, Campanella (6); Branca, Taylor (7), C. Van Cuyk (10) and Hodges, Bragan (7).

DILLARD SCORES AGAIN FOR BALDWIN-WALLACE

LAFAYETTE, Ind., March 27.—(AP)—Harrison Dillard, the human steeplechaser, twice carried the golden silk of Baldwin-Wallace to victory tonight in the Purdue Relays, last big collegiate track show of the indoor season.

He tied the American indoor record of 6.8 seconds he set in last year's Purdue show for the 60-yard low hurdles, then ran the 60-yard high in 7.4 seconds to tie the relays record set by Charles Hlad of Chicago in 1943.

WILL MAKE CHANGES

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 27.—(AP)—Young Charles Comiskey, who one day will head the Chicago White Sox, says "some changes are going to be made. If we can't do business with some of the other major league clubs, maybe we can find some triple A players who are better than we have. We'll make some changes, and some of them may surprise you."

TULANE WINS

NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—(AP)—Tulane and Northwestern Universities each got ten hits here yesterday, but the locals bunched theirs better and beat the Illinois baseballers 11 to 5. Warren Perkins of Tulane and George Tourek of Northwestern slammed homers.

Sportsman Dreams Up Fresh Worries For John Q. Crow

SHREVEPORT, La., March 27.—(AP)—When it comes to hunting crows, Will Mercer, of Taylortown, La., has the very latest equipment. He adds the benefits of his own skills to be sure of a good day's shooting.

It was at a recent meeting of the Caddo Wild Life Federation that Mercer displayed his new crow-hunting kit, which includes three decoys—two crows and an owl.

And at the meeting, Mercer surprised the members with a few unexpected "caws"—his special skill.

The dummy crows are black with the proper tinge of blue around their necks. They're realistic enough to fool people. And Mercer says they dupe crows, too.

The decoy owl is equipped with two faces and is extremely effective in luring crows within range, Mercer said.

"Owls and crows are natural enemies," Mercer explained. "In the field, I prop the owl on a fence post or in a tree. The crow decoys are nearby. Then I start calling."

The hunter explained that there are five or six "languages" among crows. He has converted a hawk-caller into a crow-caller, but because its vocabulary is limited, he has perfected his own imitations of the birds.

"There's a different caw for young crows, old crows, mad crows and crows in distress," he explained. Those are in addition to just plain caws for placid, middle-aged crows.

With the imitation owl apparently minding his own business on the fence post, Mercer broadcasts a few "mad" caws, or perhaps the distress signal. Genuine crows flock around to see what causes the commotion, and when they see the owl, they dive for the attack.

"That's when you shoot," Mercer advised. "Those crows will bat against the owl and you have to have it nailed or wedged into place so they won't be able to knock it over."

Even an amateur who doesn't know crow codes can recognize the difference in the several calls Mercer has perfected. They've all got the raucous rasp that is familiar as the crow's call, but there is a difference in each one that substantiates Mercer's identification. His "quotations" show the difference between unperturbed old crows and those that need help.

Crows provide excellent sport and hunting, according to Mercer. He has it all figured out.

"They are smart birds and aren't easily fooled. Another advantage is that there is no limit and no closed season on crows. It's year-round hunting. Ducks and the like are all right, but they're limited. Crows offer the same sport," Mercer said.

Evidently his imitations are convincing for crows, too, because even before he added the decoy equipment to his repertoire of tricks, he was able to shoot 88 crows in one day.

Crows are very destructive to crops, pulling up young corn, which they do not want, being one of their traits.

Carrying On

Arm amputee patients and bowling enthusiasts at the Army's Walter Reed hospital in Washington enjoy their favorite sport with the aid of a new type artificial arm. At left, Capt. Burke M. Sonw examines the rubber suction cup assembly of Sgt. Archie Noel. At right, Harold Carlson is about to reach the point where the cup releases the ball.

Organized Ball For Juveniles Grows With Nation-Wide Scope

By W. Boyd Tobias

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., March 27.—(NEA)—Organized baseball for juveniles is rapidly developing nation-wide prominence.

Organized here in 1939 by Carl E. Stotz, the game for eight to 12-year-olds is played under conditions simulating major league competition.

Little League or Midget League baseball, as it is sometimes called, was designed to eliminate the choose-up-sides, corner-lot brand of ball known to most youngsters.

The Little League is completely uniformed and equipped and plays the national game on its own diamonds under competent supervision.

Since '39 the organization has grown into 79 Little League teams.

Animated by Williamsport's enthusiasm, sports enthusiasts inquired into this new idea of juvenile ball playing.

That's how it came about that South Williamsport, Jersey Shore, Lock Haven, Montgomery, Watsontown, Muncy, Montoursville, and other communities of North-Central Pennsylvania took up Little League baseball.

The idea spread to neighboring states where kids who until a few years ago did all their ball playing in haphazard fashion on vacant lots are now cavorting in snappy uniforms on miniature diamonds constructed especially for them.

Little League's small diamonds have 60-foot baselines and the pitcher's box is 40 feet four inches from home plate, or two-thirds regulation size.

The boys swing bats from 30 to 31 inches in length, but gloves, except catchers' mitts and first baseman's gloves, are full-size.

Changes in baseball rules also were found advisable. A batter may not advance to first base on a called third strike and base runners may not steal until the ball has been delivered and has passed the batter.

The use of pitchers is controlled by a special rule which prescribes the number of innings a boy may pitch in a week in regularly scheduled games.

This serves the double purpose of preventing a kid pitcher from ruining his throwing arm and eliminates the possibility of one star pitcher carrying his team to the title.

Playing fields are complete in every detail, simulating big league standards as closely as possible. They are completely fenced, presenting a natural home run boundary.

Concrete dugouts, a club house press box, a public address system with attachments for the playing of recordings between innings, an electric scoreboard controlled from the club house, bull pens, and bleachers are standard facilities.

The established Little League diamonds have chairs for the use of notables among their guests and there are cushions to be loaned to fans who find the bleacher seats too hard.

Utmost care is given by the men heading the various leagues to the selection of team managers. Under competent and fair management the boys learn clean sportsmanship and conduct themselves like gentlemen on and off the diamond.

Only skilled umpires and scorekeepers are used.

There is no admission charge to Little League games, but collections are taken. The fans, 75 or 80 per cent of whom are adults, contribute liberally.

The cost of equipping the teams is borne largely by the business firms or clubs sponsoring the various nines.

The names of these sponsoring agents are lettered across the front of the players' shirts.

Naturally, the playing personnel of the various teams changes annually as 12-year-old boys become too old for Little League competition.

And, there is the problem of preventing any one team monopolizing the best boy players and thus making a runaway of the league championship.

The first problem is solved through a farm system patterned somewhat after the major leagues.

Boys hopeful of making the grade in Little League company play in the mornings and endeavor through practice to improve their playing ability until they are able to hold up their end in the fast varsity competition.

Too many stars on any one team is avoided largely through designation of definite school areas from which each team can recruit its players. Officials of the Little League setup visit the various public and parochial schools and issue invitations to the boys to come out for the teams.

At the close of each season there is an annual banquet at which championship trophies are awarded and medals distributed in recognition of individual performance.

Last year Little League baseball had its first national tournament with teams from two states representing seven communities.

Held in Williamsport, the Little League Park at Memorial Field was inadequate to accommodate the turnout.

At present there is a movement afoot to have Little League baseball sponsored on a national scale. Two or three big concerns whose products are distributed throughout the nation are interested.

One of the ardent boosters of Little League baseball is Thomas H. Richardson, president of the Eastern League, a Class A circuit.

Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics has become so absorbed in Little League baseball he has made special trips to see the kids in action. And the kids love him.

Olla

Mrs. Georgia Brooks, a former nurse in the LaSalle Parish Hospital, is critically ill in Greenwell Springs Hospital.

Mrs. Thomas Goslin of Ruston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence King.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. King of Baton Rouge arrived Tuesday to spend several days with Mr. King's father, Dr. T. E. King.

C. E. Heider is a business visitor in Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Ted Nethery and Dolores spent Wednesday in Tullos with Mr. and Mrs. Felton Hawthorne.

Miss Margie Dell Morris of Springhill visited homefolks last Sunday.

Mrs. Zelma Morris and son, Eddie, have returned from Monroe where they were guests of the Dewey Haynes family.

William Holloman is in the Urania Clinic recovering from an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burris, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wood and son, Kenneth, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kemp of Baton Rouge last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Strozier spent Sunday in Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bailey and small son of Vivian were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harris, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lively visited relatives in Grapeland, Texas, last week.

The Friday night cottage prayer meeting was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Meredith.

Mrs. Phil Gilmore, of Tullos, was the guest Saturday of Mrs. Bryant Strozier.

Mrs. N. M. Kinman, of Winnfield, was the house guest of her sister, Mrs. J. G. Hicks, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Meador and Mrs. Leon Brooks attended the Founders' Day program of Delta Kappa Gamma sorority at Winnfield in the home of Mrs. Zelma Long Frazer March 20.

Miss Elaine Connady, of Perkinston, Miss., is visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Brown are the parents of a daughter born March 12.

Parnela Etheridge, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Etheridge, celebrated her second birthday Tuesday with a party.

Present were: Bobby McCartney; Charles and LeLand Morgan; Rickey and Mike Parham; Nancy Flowers; Libbie Brooks; Delaris Netherly; Willard Wayne; Johnnie Etheridge; Mike Wolfe; Mackie Etheridge.

FEAR TRICKY KNEE MAY NIP MARION'S BASEBALL CAREER

Mr. Shortstop 'Really Worried' Unless Trouble Is Corrected

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—Marty (Mr. Shortstop) Marion fears an injury jinx that helped prevent the St. Louis Cardinals from repeating as National League champions last year, may end his baseball career.

Martin Marion

Marion's left knee, which he hurt in a slide last year, is acting up again, and caused him to leave the training field yesterday with the remark that he didn't expect to play ball again unless the trouble is corrected.

"I'm really worried," the 30-year-old veteran of eight seasons with the Cardinals declared. "I tried to lean forward for a ground ball and fell right on my face. I can't imagine what it is."

Recent X-ray photographs showed no bone injury. Marion thought the trouble might be a bad cartillage, but Doc Weaver, club trainer, told him he could find no sign of such a thing.

"In ordinary walking it does not bother me," Marion said, "but when I try to walk up steps or to put pressure on my knee to one side or the other, or try to bend down on it, I know there's something wrong. As long as it's in that condition I can't play baseball."

Manager Eddie Dyer was a little more optimistic. He said Dr. Robert F. Hyland, club surgeon, had expressed belief there was nothing seriously wrong and had advised further heat treatment.

Hyland is due here Monday and is expected to give the shortstop another examination.

Marion, regarded as one of the greatest shortstops the game has ever produced, is also a dangerous hitter. He batted .272 last season and drove in 74 runs. His loss to the team for any considerable time would be a severe blow to Cardinal pennant chances.

Injuries and illness among key players last year caused the Cardinals to be left at the post and prevented them from overtaking the Brooklyn Dodgers in spite of a fine mid-season comeback.

Okaloosa

Newsom L. Coon spent the week-end in Alexandria with his mother, Mrs. Martha G. Coon, who is seriously ill in the Baptist Hospital.

Melton Clampitt, attending L. S. U. at Baton Rouge, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clampitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Saulsbury of Chatham spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Saulsbury.

E. J. Hendricks, Jr., of the U. S. Navy, spent a 30-day furlough with his parents and has returned to Key West, Fla.

Mrs. Mary Bonnett is visiting with Monroe relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Bush, Eastland Wright and Mrs. Ona Holestead were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hendricks, Sr., recently.

The Okaloosa Home Demonstration Club will meet April 13 in the home of Mrs. Inice George.

SATISFIED

COLLEGE PARK, Md.—Jim Tatum, Maryland's head football coach, has been named as the possible mentor at five different colleges in the past month. Tatum, though, said that he would remain with the Terps for another season at least.

GOLD CUP IS RIGHT

NEW YORK—The Jockey Club Gold Cup at Belmont Park becomes another of the country's $100,000 stakes, Oct. 2.

Griffith Says Nats Rebuilding, But Fans Wondering With What

By Harry Grayson

ORLANDO, Fla., March 27.—(NEA)—Looking at the Washington club, you know why Clark Griffith made Joe Kuhel manager.

Kuhel is a member of the American Society of Magicians, knows all the hat tricks and such, but it will take more than sleight-of-hand to get this quaint collection of Nats anywhere.

Early Wynn

Owner Griffith says the Nats are rebuilding, but a lot of people wonder with what. Even the Old Fox admits the aggregation may be worse than some of the Athletic prize packages of the past.

Washington is the one club happy about the Browns selling all that talent. Griffith is looking toward the Browns as an eight-place cushion on which to rest another seventh-place club, but even the Brownies may outscramble the current collection of Washington odds and ends.

Gone is the entire 1947 outfield—Spence to Boston, Grace to Pittsburgh, and Lewis and Case into business.

Jerry Priddy, who knows his way around second base, went to the Browns for $25,000, when Johnny Berardino preferred Cleveland to Washington.

So whatever hope the Senators have rests in second baseman Al Kozar and the agile outfielder, Gil Coan.

Kozar, who came from the Red Sox in the Stan Spence deal, manufactured 38 doubles, 12 triples, batting .339 and driving in 75 runs for New Orleans.

"Our scouts didn't get a single 'if' or 'but' on him," says Kuhel, hopefully.

Coan is getting his third trial although the Brevard College alumnus is not yet 24. With Chattanooga last term, he had 34 doubles, 17 triples, 22 home runs, and scored 126 runs, batting .340. He has excessive speed, bunts and drags the ball well. Closing out last season with the parent club, he hit .500 in 11 games.

The Washington pitching is good enough with Wynn, Masterson, Haefner, Hudson, Scarborough and some more.

Chief of scouts Wish Egan of Detroit says Early Wynn was the best pitcher in the American League last year.

"Given an even break, Wynn would have won 23 games, had we hit a lick behind him," asserts Clyde Milan.

Ray Scarborough was another victim of the Senator's low-run production. His teammates did not score a run for him in six straight games, not in one of which was he hit hard.

The Senators possess an excellent relief worker in huge Tom Ferrick, have Milo Candini and some more. Scott Carey, a little left-hander, looked good against two or three clubs last season. Kuhel is stuck on Ray Garcia, a big Cuban right-hander who pitched for Lefty Gomez' Yankees in the Havana Winter League.

Mickey Vernon, whose league-leading .353 batting average of 1946 dropped to .265 last term, is at first base, of course, and Mark Christman will again wind up at shortstop. Johnny Sullivan has a scatter arm and doesn't hit enough.

Third baseman Eddie Yost is a corker at coming in and picking up sdow rollers with his meat hand, but the New York lad hit only .238 in 1947.

The outfield has Coan in left, Sherry Robertson in right, and Tom McBride or Leon Culbertson in center.

Earl Wooten ,24 years old, and on the small side at five-11 and 160 pounds, batted .293 for Chattanooga, and has a chance in center field. He can play the outfield for anybody's money, covers a lot of territory, has a splendid arm.

Wooten would be a big improvement over either McBride or Culbertson and considerable help if he could hit .270.

Griffith had to make a deal for a catcher, or restore the 41-year-old coach, Rick Ferrell, to the active list, as he did last year. Behind Al Evans were only Ken McCreight, who has caught only 27 games in a B league since leaving the University of Southern California; Len Okrie, who finished last season with Des Moines after spending the bulk of it in Class D; and Harold Keller, a brother of the Yankees' Charlie, who has had no professional experience.

As a pilot, Kuhel is as inexperienced as many of his players. He has been at it exactly one year, having spent last season with Hot Springs, Ark., of the class C Cotton States League.

Back with Washington, where he spent his greatest years at first base, Manager Kuhel, under the present dreary set-up, feels perfectly at home.

Farmerville

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Spear, of Monroe, spent the week-end with Mrs. Spear's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davidson spent Sunday at Pineville in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Willet with their aunt, Miss Bertha Cobb.

Mrs. F. E. Monzingo is visiting Miss Joe Ann Monzingo at Sherman, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Ramsey and children spent the week-end at El Dorado with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Strother.

Mrs. T. S. White and daughter, Brenda spent Friday and Saturday at El Dorado with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Yarborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hughes spent the week-end at Greenwood and Durant, Miss., with relatives. Mrs. Hughes remained for a few days' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Tugwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Roberts and daughter, Ossie Jean and Mrs. W. C. Tugwell spent Sunday at Bastrop with Dr. and Mrs. O. L. Tugwell and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Works.

Mrs. A. C. Dykes, Miss Faye Baughman and Miss Olivia Barr, of Farmerville, accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Colvin, of Bernice, attended the Pilgrimage at Natchez, Miss., Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. F. Rabun joined a party Wednesday in Monroe for the Natchez Pilgrimage.

The following have been selected to serve as petit jurors at the April term of Union parish court, beginning April 19th:

Ward 1: J. G. Odom, and James A. Rabun.

Ward 3: Jonah Herron, Robert Smith, Frank Smith, Oliver Turnage, Noah Aycock, E. H. Casterberry, H. G. Holloway, Jake Risinger, Emmett Tucler and Edward Futch.

Ward 4: Kermit Pilgreen, H. G. Shaw, Clyde Jaclson, J. W. Gray, Garrett Fitzgerald, John Max White.

Ward 5: T. M. Albritton, C. C. Clark, S. F. Bearden.

Ward 7: Melvin Armstrong, E. H. Malone, Travis Howard.

Ward 8: Omar D. Hollis, Herman Kinley, J. B. Lankford.

Ward 9: Horace Silmon, E. J. Smith and S. J. Davis.

The Biblical implication that a person is never without honor save in his own country, does not apply to the Farmerville School faculty. They have showered honors and praise on Mrs. Hazel Toler Harston, one of their fellow workers, for having one of her juvenile stories published in a current issues of Dew Drops magagine.

The story, "How Herman Got His Curly Tail," is ably illustrated by Ruth Van Tellengen, and relates the sad plight of a little duck who could not get his tail feathers to curl. In a family of twelve duck children, Herman was the only one with such obstinate tail feathers, and they provoked many humiliating trails.

Mrs. Harston possesses a talent for painting fascinating word pictures. This talent has been nurished and developed by observing the needs of little children, and meeting that need by giving them an appropriate story, whether it be in her school room, her Sunday School or Sunbeam class.

Having taught in the Union parish school system for a number of years, Mrs. Harston followed her husband during his service in the States, but even then, she found time to tell stories to little children while employed in Kindergarten school at Linda Vista, California. She now teaches first grade in the Farmerville school, and has recently begun compiling and preparing for publication a number of her stories, which seemed to have the greatest appeal for little children. Florence Hale, editor of The Grade Teacher, is holding two of Mrs. Harston's stories for later publication.

Mrs. George Peacock was called to Eudora, Ark., Saturday to the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Evans.

Sgt. Maurry Ward of New York spent last week in Farmerville with his mother, Mrs. Will Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thorgerson, of Baton Rouge, spent Friday and Saturday with their mother, Mrs. John W. Taylor.

Mrs. Lester Hartman and daughter, Miss Ruth, spent the week-end at Rayville with her sister, Mrs. Sidney Wynn, and attended the church wedding of Dr. Dianne Sortar and Dr. Al Goggins on Saturday night. Mr. Lester Man and Miss Gussie Fenton joined them at Rayville for the day Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Linam spent the week-end at Texarkana with relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Ramsey, of Shreveport, spent the week-end at their home in Farmerville.

Mrs. W. M. Parker, of Monroe, was the guest of Mrs. James Rabun in the home of Mrs. J. D. Baughman Saturday.

Mrs. V. M. Digby and daughter, Edith, of Ruston, were guests of Mrs. Ed. Everett Saturday.

Miss Marie Miller, of Lake Charles, spent the week-end in Farmerville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller.

Mrs. Charlie Beale visited her sister, Mrs. Bob Church at Monroe last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lettleton, Mr. Joaquin Tettleton and Mrs. A. C. Blanchard, Jr., have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chapman at Orange, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gray and Mr. Van Tettleton at San Angelo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roan spent the week-end at Texarkana with Mr. and Mrs. Juddy Rogers. Mrs. Rogers and little daughter, Beverly Sue returned home with them for a week's stay.

Mrs. Dorothy Perryman Wright and brother, Mr. Fred Perryman, of Beaumont, Texas spent the week here with their aunts, Mrs. Effie Slawson, Mrs. Georgia Fenton and Mrs. W. A. Crider.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cobb and Mrs. L. C. Cobb attended the funeral of Mr. B. Edwards at Mt. Lebanon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Blanchard, Jr., spent the week-end at Baton Rouge with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Murphy, of Monroe, spent Sunday with Mrs. Murphy's mother, Mrs. Georgia Fenton.

Mrs. R. W. Everett and little son Steve, of Gibsland, were guests of Mr. Everett Sunday.

Miss Sarah Johnson, of Monroe, was the guest of Mrs. Grayson Odom Sunday.

Lake Providence

Coach and Mrs. Jerry Mize and daughter, Dianne, are visiting in Shreveport with Mrs. Martha Mize and in Plain Dealing with Mrs. Mizes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hardcastle for the Eastertide.

Mrs. Ira W. Hughes and son, Sidney, leave Monday to spend a month in Athens, Georgia, with Mrs. Hughes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Spratlin.

Friends in this area of Sgt. James Roy Brown with the Marines on Midway Island, are pleased to learn that he received promotion from Washington, D. C., from S/Sgt., to that of Tech/Sgt. in the bakers division.

S/Sgt. Brown has his wife and son with him on Midway.

The Lake Providence High School band under the direction of C. P. Brupbacher, was rated as very good at the annual district music festival at La. Tech, Ruston, March 20, according to L. V. E. Irvine, chairman of the event.

Mrs. A. J. Wyly, Mrs. Margaret Newman, Mrs. Ethel W. Belser, Mrs. J. G. Wyly, Jr., and Mrs. W. W. Ward, were East Carroll parish school teachers to attend the Lambda Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma meeting at the Methodist Church in Tallulah March 20.

L. W. Myers was in Pelahatchie, Miss., to spend the past week-end with his mother, Mrs. S. S. Myers.

Mrs. F. P. Regenold went to Shreveport to spend Easter with Mr. Regenold.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gilbert were called to Abbeville Wednesday because of the critical illness and subsequent death of a relative.

Dr. Bernard deMahy motoring from St. Martinsville to Lake Providence to join his family, stopped in Lafayette to bring home Margaret Crump, Elizabeth Hamley, Jennie Rosenzweig, Joseph Titone, Ranny Cox, students at Southwestern off for the Easter vacation.

Mrs. R. K. Howard entertained informally at a social hour to have intimate friends to chat with Mrs. W. T. Turner of Wisner, a former Lake Providence resident.

Guests of the afternoon were Mrs. O. S. Brown, Mrs. John Rolfe Howard, Mrs. J. E. Peeler, Mrs. J. P. Davis, Miss Jamie Haller, Mrs. W. F. Bonner, Mrs. L. W. Myers and Miss Eunyce Howard.

Mrs. S. L. House, Jr., was called to Jeanerette due to the illness of her sister, Mrs. Paul E. Weaver, and went from there to New Orleans to attend the annual session of the Eastern Star Grand Chapter.

Mr. Wilson Lepine of "Laurel Valley" plantation, Thibodaux, is expected this week-end to join Mrs. Lepine, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gross, and brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elmus H. Coleman.

Betty Barnes, Lake Providence High School senior, left Friday for Baton Rouge to spend the week-end vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Barnes.

Mrs. Herman Schwartz and daughter, Peggy, accompanied by Mrs. L. H. Richards, spent two days at the Natchez pilgrimage and attended the colonial ball.

East Carroll instructors to attend the Social Science teachers meeting at Tech in Ruston were Mrs. J. O. Pinkston, Jr., M. M. Walsworth, R. W. Watts and Mrs. Helen Gale.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmus H. Coleman and Mrs. J. C. Gross were in Vicksburg Wednesday to attend the military funeral of Yeoman 1/c Phillip C. Coleman, which was in the National Park with full military honors.

Mrs. J. W. Garner left for Alexandria to be with her daughter, Miss Gwendolyn Garner, for an appendicitis operation at the Baptist Hospital.

Faculty members of the Lake Providence High School to attend the fifth District class room teachers meeting in Monroe were Mrs. Charles Muirhead, Mrs. Henry Winters, Mrs. H. O'Steen and Mrs. J. O. Pinkston, Jr., who made the trip with Mrs. Jesse King of Monticello.

Mrs. Ernie Horne concluded the mission study book "Great Prayers of the Bible" at the Monday meeting of the Methodist W. S. C. S. Feature of the program was a solo "The Call of the Christ," by Gwen Berry, with Mrs. E. N. Berry accompanist.

Jerry Cheek of Transylvania was nominated for office of secretary for the March 23 election at La. Tech of Ruston.

M. S. C. W., students of Columbus, Miss., arriving home for the spring holidays are JoRene Myers, Elna Mitchell, and Betty Jean Milstead.

Mrs. Joe Smith entered St. Francis Hospital in Monroe, on Wednesday for a minor operation.

Seventh District Masonic Lodge meeting will be held in Lake Providence Sunday, April 11, in the high school auditorium.

Zell Stockner, district Worshipful Master, will serve as presiding officer.

Honor guest will be Grandmaster L. Louie Butler of Odessa.

The Monroe degree team will put on the third degree.

Lodges from Bastrop, Collinston, Delhi, Lake Providence, Mangham, Mer Rouge, Oak Grove, Oak Ridge, Pioneer, Rayville and Tallulah will have representation.

A plate lunch will be served at the close of the meeting.

Miss Lina Warren, assistant sociologist of the Louisiana State Extension service, held leader training meetings with the Home Demonstration Club leaders of Monticello and Transylvania.

At the close of the meeting election of community recreation officers was held.

Officers for the Monticello Recreational organization are Mrs. W. B. Hawkins, chairman; Morris Coleman, co-chairman; Charlotte Martin, secretary.

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At the Tuesday night meeting of the Lake Providence Methodist Men a chicken supper was served by Mrs. C. R. Brown, and the picture "The Prodigal Son" was shown.

Miss LaVerne Davis is home from Whitworth College of Brookhaven to spend the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Van Fossen and daughters, Thomasene and Margharita, arrived in Lake Providence Thursday to spend the L. S. U. Easter vacation with relatives.

William T. "Bilbo" Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Turner, of Wisner, and former Lake Providence residents, was elected to serve as king of the annual ball of Engineers Day at La. Tech, April 3, and selected Betty Baker, of Athens, as his queen.

"Bilbo," senior in the school of chemical engineering at Tech has been given a Fellowship at the University of Chicago.

Rodney Martin Kitchens, infant son of Major and Mrs. E. B. Kitchens, Jr., of Ft. Benning, Ga., was christened at the Post Catholic chapel on Sunday, March 21 with Capt. Rafferty officiating.

The godparents were Rodney's uncle, Curtis Farlow, of St. Joseph, and aunt, Miss Dorothy Hamley, of Lake Providence.

Standing for the service were Mrs. J. C. Hamley, of Lake Providence, and Capt. McCabe, who stood by proxy.

Miss Janet McKellar, of Shreveport, was a recent guest at the Teacherage for a visit with her sister, Miss Edna McKellar.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Higgins, of Elaine, Ark., arrived Wednesday to spend several days with Miss Jamie Haller and Mrs. John Phillips at "Highland."

Mrs. Delos Hammack has been called to the bedside of her brother in Natchez. He was critically burned in a butane explosion.

Mrs. J. O. Pinkston was called to Midway on account of the critical illness of her sister, Mrs. H. L. King, who died two days after her arrival at her bedside at a Montgomery hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Newton and son, Bernard, and Mrs. Newton's mother, Mrs. Beulah Dunham were in Rayville Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Ella Dixon and Mrs. Raymond Wilkerson, mother and sister of Mrs. Dunham.

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Coach and Mrs. Jerry Mize and daughter, Dianne, are visiting in Shreveport with Mrs. Martha Mize and in Plain Dealing with Mrs. Mizes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hardcastle for the Eastertide.

Mrs. Ira W. Hughes and son, Sidney, leave Monday to spend a month in Athens, Georgia, with Mrs. Hughes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Spratlin.

Friends in this area of Sgt. James Roy Brown with the Marines on Midway Island, are pleased to learn that he received promotion from Washington, D. C., from S/Sgt., to that of Tech/Sgt. in the bakers division.

S/Sgt. Brown has his wife and son with him on Midway.

The Lake Providence High School band under the direction of C. P. Brupbacher, was rated as very good at the annual district music festival at La. Tech, Ruston, March 20, according to L. V. E. Irvine, chairman of the event.

Mrs. A. J. Wyly, Mrs. Margaret Newman, Mrs. Ethel W. Belser, Mrs. J. G. Wyly, Jr., and Mrs. W. W. Ward, were East Carroll parish school teachers to attend the Lambda Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma meeting at the Methodist Church in Tallulah March 20.

L. W. Myers was in Pelahatchie, Miss., to spend the past week-end with his mother, Mrs. S. S. Myers.

Mrs. F. P. Regenold went to Shreveport to spend Easter with Mr. Regenold.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gilbert were called to Abbeville Wednesday because of the critical illness and subsequent death of a relative.

Dr. Bernard deMahy motoring from St. Martinsville to Lake Providence to join his family, stopped in Lafayette to bring home Margaret Crump, Elizabeth Hamley, Jennie Rosenzweig, Joseph Titone, Ranny Cox, students at Southwestern off for the Easter vacation.

Mrs. R. K. Howard entertained informally at a social hour to have intimate friends to chat with Mrs. W. T. Turner of Wisner, a former Lake Providence resident.

Guests of the afternoon were Mrs. O. S. Brown, Mrs. John Rolfe Howard, Mrs. J. E. Peeler, Mrs. J. P. Davis, Miss Jamie Haller, Mrs. W. F. Bonner, Mrs. L. W. Myers and Miss Eunyce Howard.

Mrs. S. L. House, Jr., was called to Jeanerette due to the illness of her sister, Mrs. Paul E. Weaver, and went from there to New Orleans to attend the annual session of the Eastern Star Grand Chapter.

Mr. Wilson Lepine of "Laurel Valley" plantation, Thibodaux, is expected this week-end to join Mrs. Lepine, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gross, and brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elmus H. Coleman.

Betty Barnes, Lake Providence High School senior, left Friday for Baton Rouge to spend the week-end vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Barnes.

Mrs. Herman Schwartz and daughter, Peggy, accompanied by Mrs. L. H. Richards, spent two days at the Natchez pilgrimage and attended the colonial ball.

East Carroll instructors to attend the Social Science teachers meeting at Tech in Ruston were Mrs. J. O. Pinkston, Jr., M. M. Walsworth, R. W. Watts and Mrs. Helen Gale.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmus H. Coleman and Mrs. J. C. Gross were in Vicksburg Wednesday to attend the military funeral of Yeoman 1/c Phillip C. Coleman, which was in the National Park with full military honors.

Mrs. J. W. Garner left for Alexandria to be with her daughter, Miss Gwendolyn Garner, for an appendicitis operation at the Baptist Hospital.

Faculty members of the Lake Providence High School to attend the fifth District class room teachers meeting in Monroe were Mrs. Charles Muirhead, Mrs. Henry Winters, Mrs. H. O'Steen and Mrs. J. O. Pinkston, Jr., who made the trip with Mrs. Jesse King of Monticello.

Mrs. Ernie Horne concluded the mission study book "Great Prayers of the Bible" at the Monday meeting of the Methodist W. S. C. S. Feature of the program was a solo "The Call of the Christ," by Gwen Berry, with Mrs. E. N. Berry accompanist.

Jerry Cheek of Transylvania was nominated for office of secretary for the March 23 election at La. Tech of Ruston.

M. S. C. W., students of Columbus, Miss., arriving home for the spring holidays are JoRene Myers, Elna Mitchell, and Betty Jean Milstead.

Mrs. Joe Smith entered St. Francis Hospital in Monroe, on Wednesday for a minor operation.

Seventh District Masonic Lodge meeting will be held in Lake Providence Sunday, April 11, in the high school auditorium.

Zell Stockner, district Worshipful Master, will serve as presiding officer.

Honor guest will be Grandmaster L. Louie Butler of Odessa.

The Monroe degree team will put on the third degree.

Lodges from Bastrop, Collinston, Delhi, Lake Providence, Mangham, Mer Rouge, Oak Grove, Oak Ridge, Pioneer, Rayville and Tallulah will have representation.

A plate lunch will be served at the close of the meeting.

Miss Lina Warren, assistant sociologist of the Louisiana State Extension service, held leader training meetings with the Home Demonstration Club leaders of Monticello and Transylvania.

At the close of the meeting election of community recreation officers was held.

Officers for the Monticello Recreational organization are Mrs. W. B. Hawkins, chairman; Morris Coleman, co-chairman; Charlotte Martin, secretary.

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At the Tuesday night meeting of the Lake Providence Methodist Men a chicken supper was served by Mrs. C. R. Brown, and the picture "The Prodigal Son" was shown.

Miss LaVerne Davis is home from Whitworth College of Brookhaven to spend the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Van Fossen and daughters, Thomasene and Margharita, arrived in Lake Providence Thursday to spend the L. S. U. Easter vacation with relatives.

William T. "Bilbo" Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Turner, of Wisner, and former Lake Providence residents, was elected to serve as king of the annual ball of Engineers Day at La. Tech, April 3, and selected Betty Baker, of Athens, as his queen. "Bilbo," senior in the school of chemical engineering at Tech has been given a Fellowship at the University of Chicago.

Rodney Martin Kitchens, infant son of Major and Mrs. E. B. Kitchens, Jr., of Ft. Benning, Ga., was christened at the Post Catholic chapel on Sunday, March 21 with Capt. Rafferty officiating.

The godparents were Rodney's uncle, Curtis Farlow, of St. Joseph, and aunt, Miss Dorothy Hamley, of Lake Providence.

Standing for the service were Mrs. J. C. Hamley, of Lake Providence, and Capt. McCabe, who stood by proxy.

Miss Janet McKellar, of Shreveport, was a recent guest at the Teacherage for a visit with her sister, Miss Edna McKellar.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Higgins, of Elaine, Ark., arrived Wednesday to spend several days with Miss Jamie Haller and Mrs. John Phillips at "Highland."

Mrs. Delos Hammack has been called to the bedside of her brother in Natchez. He was critically burned in a butane explosion.

Mrs. J. O. Pinkston was called to Midway on account of the critical illness of her sister, Mrs. H. L. King, who died two days after her arrival at her bedside at a Montgomery hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Newton and son, Bernard, and Mrs. Newton's mother, Mrs. Beulah Dunham were in Rayville Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Ella Dixon and Mrs. Raymond Wilkerson, mother and sister of Mrs. Dunham.

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MERCHANDISE

52—Household Goods

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52—Household Goods

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62—Household Goods

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64—Machinery & Tools

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52—Articles For Sale

52—Household Goods

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EMPLOYMENT

33—Help Wanted, Female

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3-28-A

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34—Help Wanted, Male

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36—Agents, Salesmen

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EMPLOYMENT

36—Agents, Salesmen

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FURNISHED BEDROM with kitchen privilege. 112 North 8th. Phone 1472.

BEDROOMS—Convenient to bath and phone 2 blocks off busline. Gentlemen. Phone 6098-M. 3-24-A

83—Wanted To Rent

Do You Have A Good 3 Bedroom House
You Would Like to Rent To A RELIABLE FAMILY?
IF YOU DO
PHONE 4223-J

$25 REWARD for information leading to immediate rental of furnished or unfurnished apartment to couple and year-old daughter. References. Phone 4563-M. 3-31-A

Furnished or Unfurnished
Apartment or house, 4 or 5 rooms needed. No children. Excellent references, both business and character. Write P. O. Box 778, Monroe, La. 4-3-A

PHYSICIAN, wife, 3-year-old child desire furnished 2-bedroom house or apartment for occupancy April 1st. Are willing to share home with elderly couple. Write Box 260, c/o News-Star. 4-3-A

WANTED—3 or 4 room furnished or unfurnished apartment. Phone Mr. Rotonda, Room 415, Monroe Hotel. 3-30-P

COUPLE, 2 year old daughter needs 2 or 3 room furnished apartment. Permanent residents, good references. Call 8581-W. 3-31-P

VETERAN, wife and baby want 2 or 3-room furnished apartment. Phone 7262-J. 3-30-A

YOUNG WORKING COUPLE desires 2 or 3-room furnished apartment with private bath. Phone 1942-R or 4430. 3-30-A

NORTH, south, east or west side 5 or 6 room furnished house or apartment. Couple & 2 highschool daughters. Call 6087.

WANTED by working couple 3 to 5 room unfurnished apartment or house. Phone 3984-R. 4-1-P

2 OR MORE bedrooms, furnished or unfurnished house or apartment, by local business man. Call 5605-J. 4-1-P

TWO ROOM furnished apartment by young working couple. Close in or near bus line. Phone 7754-W. 3-29-P

QUIET couple needs 2 or 3 room furnished apartment, South side, Monroe. No children, no pets. References. Phone 5864-W or contact Mr. Allen, Eureka No. 3. 3-29-P

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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DRY GOODS STORE FOR SALE
In the best of location. Complete stock of dry goods and shoes. Beautiful fixtures. Wire or write P. O. Box 328, Alexandria, La.

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2-story solid brick building. Excellent condition and desirable location. 26 rooms, 20 private baths, 6 connecting baths. Nicely furnished, clean and modern. Highest class business. Best hotel in thriving town of 7,500 pop. North La. on Hwy. 80. Will net 10% on investment.
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Restaurant on Hwy. 80
All modern equipment and fixtures for sale. Building can be leased.
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All fixtures and stock. Equipment only one year old. Seating capacity 70. Indirect lighting. Doing excellent business. Will sacrifice because of ill health. On Hwy. 55 miles E. of Monroe in fast growing town near oil field, sawmill, and good farming section. Write E. W. Cruse, 302 Ouachita Bank or Phone 5400.

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With Material Enhancement Possibilities
S. E. Corner 4th and Olive Sts.
(143 ft. wide x 150 ft. deep)
Produces Nice Net Return
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COMPLETE SAWMILL
WITH NEW ALLIS CHALMERS motor. All in good condition. Just off Shreveport highway, near West Monroe. Will trade for country or city property. $3,000
E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

GOOD INVESTMENT
2 BUILDINGS
1 cafe building and all fixtures.
1 large business house with asbestos siding. Lot fronts 112 ft., on DeSiard. Depth 150 ft. Can be leased for $150 per month. Priced for quick sale, $10,000. Will sell cafe separately. Located on DeSiard near garment factory.
E. W. CRUSE, Ph. 5400

85—Farms & Land For Sale

3-ROOM HOUSE and farm for sale or rent. ¼ mile from Drew School on Arkansas Road. Contact J. L. Davis. 3-31-A

LOT 210x220—$590
On gravel road about 400 ft. off Hwy. 80 near Claiborne School. Water, lights, gas available. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

36 ACRES—2 HOUSES
FACING BAYOU DESIARD
All modern conveniences. Lights, telephone. All under fence. 5 minutes from Monroe. $8,400. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

85 ACRES LAND
ABOUT 2½ miles from city limits of Monroe just off Winnsboro Rd. $1,800. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

4-Room House—22 Acres
TILE CURB WELL. 17 acres open. ¼ mile beyond Chapel Hill Church on Farmerville Road. Known as "Brooks Place." $2,250. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

86—Houses For Sale

1127 Mississippi St.
Good Business Location
150 feet from Selig Furniture Factory. Small house; bath. Lot 50x150. $3,000.
MRS. IVY RAYNER
Phone 5055-M

$6,800
5 rooms, 2 large screened porches, hardwood floors, tile bath with shower. Lots of cabinets in kitchen. Sink with double drain boards. 3 laundry trays. Attic fan. Really modern. Near schools, church and stores. 203 Hampton.
MRS. IVY RAYNER
Phone 5055-M

Modern Suburban Home
115 Kansas Drive, Selman Field Road, near Baptist Orphanage. 3 bedrooms. Large glassed in porch. Tile bath, hardwood floors throughout. Ample closets. In excellent repair. Double garage. 2 lots, 100x150. Servant's house with complete plumbing. Possession in 60 days. Price $13,000.
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Don't Rent—Buy a Home!
5-ROOM HOUSE. FHA construction. 4 months old. 1,350 sq. ft. of floor space. A bargain at asking price.
FOR LEASE—Commercial lot 500 block North 6th
5-ROOM HOUSE partly furnished. 8 acres Milhaven road. Lights, gas, water.
HOME close in on Winnsboro road. 3 extra large rooms, good condition
PRACTICALLY NEW 4-room house. Winnsboro road $2,750
BUSINESSES
3-STORY brick hotel, county seat Mississippi town. 48 bedrooms, large dining room, kitchen and lobby. January 48 room sale $2,400. Food $2,000. Worth investigating.
GROCERY STORE AND FIXTURES—Lease on building. Will stand rigid investigation. $2,500 will handle this deal.
REDECORATED restaurant, South Monroe. Doing excellent business. New equipment.
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TO SELL OR BUY YOUR SOLUTION IS TO CALL
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One block north of Louisville

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

86—Houses For Sale

1003-1006 Emerson Ave.
NEW HOMES—ALREADY FINANCED
3 bedrooms, tile bath. Beautiful oak floors, plenty of built-ins and closets. All walls finished in lovely pastel colors.
1014-1015 Emerson Ave.
5 large rooms. Hardwood floors, beautifully finished walls, plenty closets. Concrete walks and drives.
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MY FRIEND, YOU'D BEST THINK TWICE. EIGHT YEARS IN RENT—AND YOU HAVE SPENT ONE HALF THE PURCHASE PRICE.
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A CHANCE TO SEE YOUR NEW HOME UNDER CONSTRUCTION, TO KNOW FOR YOURSELF THE QUALITY OF MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP USED THROUGHOUT.
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WE HAVE NEW HOMES BEING BUILT OR WILL BE BUILT IN: SOUTH MONROE COLLEGE AREA WEST MONROE, INCLUDING SPLANE AND McGUIRE ADDITIONS.
100% LOANS
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IF YOU CAN PAY RENT
YOU CAN OWN YOUR HOME. SELECT A HOME TO FIT YOUR POCKETBOOK.
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WE HAVE SEVERAL HOMES—2 AND 3-BEDROOMS—IN MONROE AND WEST MONROE PRICED FROM $5,250 TO $7,350. COME BY AND LET US SHOW YOU WHAT WE HAVE.
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FOR FAMILY WHO WANTS NICE HOME AND INCOME—8 room house, Garage apartment. Lot 70x158. Desirable location. 1009 North 3rd St. Will consider fair offer. Immediate possession.
ATTRACTIVE NEW HOME—3 bedrooms. Lot 94x150. Quick possession. 1704 North 4th St.
NEW 5 ROOM HOUSE on K St., Near Neville. This house has plenty cabinets and closets, attic fan, and all modern conveniences.
4 BEDROOM HOUSE, hardwood floors. In 5300 block of DeSiard, lot 75x260 to Bayou, riparian rights included.
3502 CONCORDIA in Cole addition near Jr. College, lovely 5-room furnished home, hardwood floors, spacious closets. Large lot 84x190. 30 days possession. Priced to sell at $10,500.
1011 EMERSON, new 3-bedroom house with tile bath, living room, dining room, kitchen, spacious closets. Single garage. Priced to sell at $12,350. Already financed. Immediate possession.
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LOT 125x225 on Cecil St., Edgewater Garden. $900.
2 LOTS 70x160 corner Cole & Breville. $1,600.
LOT 70x160 Filhiol south of Evangeline. $950.
LOT, 75x150 on Park Ave. East of Courtney Dr. $1,250.
2 LOTS 70x160 corner Sterlington Rd. & Armond. $1,750.
INSIDE lot 75x150 on Emerson & Jasmine facing South.
LOT 100x150 near Neville.
BUSINESS lot 40x62½ one block North of DeSiard. $4,200.
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NEW HOME—VACANT
G. I. Approved. 2 bedrooms. Highland Park Addition. $7,600.
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NEW HOUSES
UNDER CONSTRUCTION. Attractive plan, well constructed. Located on block west of Jackson St. on Polk. Sewerage. Near new furniture factory. Liberal terms arranged by agent.
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2 Bedroom House In Fairview Addition
Lifetime roof. Excellent construction. Paving paid.
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5-Room house and acre ground 2 blocks off White's Ferry Rd. $3,500
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Walking distance of town on Cypress St. West Monroe. Good Repair. Immediate possession.
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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

86—Houses For Sale

For the Careful Home Buyer
WHO SEEKS VALUE
BRAND NEW
2-Bedroom modern home complete with bath. Garage. Large lot. 5 miles out on black top road.
RANCH STYLE
2-BEDROOM home. All modern conveniences. Set in beautiful pine grove. All out buildings necessary including servant's quarters. 5 miles of new bridge. Immediate possession. Veteran approved. Reduced to $10,700.
18 Acres of Good Earth
2-BEDROOM home and bath. Includes gas system with kitchen range and heaters. Bearing pecan trees. 8 miles of city limits. Can be financed. Only $5,000.
Is Your Secret Desire
A comfortable home with spacious grounds? This 3-bedroom home on Bayou DeSiard will fill the bill. Riparian rights. Beautifully landscaped.
It's Spring
THIS 2-story, 4-bedroom, North Side home with garage apartment in rear, will be cool and comfortable. Large lot. Immediate possession. Has a buying price.
LIVE RENT-FREE
DUPLEX conveniently arranged. ½-block of Barkdull Faulk School. Paved street. $7,500.
FOR PARENTS
NEAR Sherrouse School, 2-bedroom home. Garage attached. Lot 75x150. Immediate possession. $8,950.
SENSIBLE PRICE
LARGE 4-room house, one acre land, off Winnsboro road. Lifetime roof. $2,500.
NEAR SWARTZ SCHOOL
3-ROOM house, one acre land under fence. Lights, natural gas and water. 5 out houses. Immediate possession. $2,250.
MRS. ALICE DAVID
Phone 7474 or 6590-J

6-ROOM house, 1 acre of land. Several out buildings; such as garage, barn, chicken house and so forth. ¼ mile west of Calhoun on Hwy. 80. 15 miles west of West Monroe. For quick sale at only $4,000.
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507 Lazarre W. M.
4 rooms, bath, 2 porches, garage, store room. Attic ventilation, Venetian blinds. Lot 50x150. $5,000. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

Ideal Business Location
5-Room house, bath, 2 porches. Good condition. Lot 50x160. 1204 Cypress, West Monroe. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

Investment Property
6-ROOM house with bath, 5 three-room furnished tourist cottages with bath, also trailer camp, and large grocery store building, stock and fixtures. Walk-out proposition. Deep well water. All modern conveniences. 7 acres land. On Monroe-Alexandria Hwy. about 28 miles South of Monroe. Doing good business. Reason for selling—ill health. $12,800. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

House and 41 Acres—$1,275
4 large rooms. Well water, also good spring water. Practically all under fence. Good growth young Pine timber, good White Oak timber. On good gravel road 3 miles east of Chatham, La. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

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2907 LEE AVENUE
6 rooms and bath, 2 sinks. Can be used as duplex. Attractive kitchen. Front and back screened porches. New paint and interior decoration. Must be shown by appointment. $6,500.
619 JACKSON
2-story dwelling. Excellent location. Will finance.
Duplex—Redecorated
Corner S. 6th and Layton. 8 rooms, 4 rooms and bath each side. Private entrances front and sides. 2 garages. Sound investment. $6,800.
700 LAZARRE, W. M.
3 rooms. Lot 50x143. $1,750.
315 POWELL ST.
Lot 50x150, small house and other improvements. $2,000. Terms.
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3002 POLK ST.—$1,590
3-room house and lot for colored. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

2-ROOM HOUSE—½ ACRE
Lights, water, gas. On Sterlington Rd. $1,075. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

6-ROOM HOUSE
Wash house and plumbing fixtures. In 1500 block South 3rd Street. Possession within 30 days. $6,850. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

HOME & BUSINESS
Large 8-room house, 2 baths. Grocery store building, stock and fixtures. Large barn, large poultry house, out-buildings, 4 tenant houses, orchard, butane gas lights, deep well water, 54 acres land all open. On Monroe-Vicksburg Hwy., at Crew Lake, 12 miles from Monroe city limits. $17,500. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

Attractive 3-Bedroom House
Redecorated. Tile bath with shower. Air conditioned. Plenty closet space. Lifetime roof. Nicely landscaped corner lot. Paving paid.
Mrs. R. E. Davis—Phone 1094

Price Reduced to $3,200
5 ROOM house, complete new bathroom, electric pump, gas, lights, 2 acres land. Just beyond Riser's Dairy off Old Natchitoches Road. Immediate possession. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

Lovely 2-Bedroom Home
Large Lot
107½ ft. wide x 150 ft. deep
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Practically New House
6 rooms, bath. Completely furnished except refrigerator. 3 lots. 101 Hill St., just off 700 block Montgomery, West Monroe. $7,350. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

HOME & INCOME
9-Room house, bath-and-a-half, 2 porches. Just reconditioned throughout. Venetian blinds, awnings. One-room garage apartment and bath. Live in 3-room apartment and have income of $120 per month. Large corner lot. Paving paid. 117 South 5th St. $8,750. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

ROOMING house, Brown Paper Mill. 15 rooms. Extra lot. Completely equipped. Complete beauty shop included in sale price. With Expansion of Paper Mill, this property can only increase in value. Everything goes for $6,500.
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3209 GORDON AVE.
New home with attached garage. 2 bedrooms. Well constructed. Excellent neighborhood. Paved street. $7,500.
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Now Vacant. Must Sell
3-BEDROOM HOUSE
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$11,500
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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

86—Houses For Sale

NEW 4-ROOM HOUSE
Large rooms. Corner lot. Vacant. $2,750.
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2902 Lee Avenue
$6,300
2-BEDROOM house, 2 large porches, one screened. Recently redecorated inside and out. Lots of built-in cabinets and closet space. 48" attic fan.
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PHONE 5055-M

LOVELY BRICK HOME
2-BEDROOMS. Corner lot 150x150. South Side Monroe. Immediate possession. $8,600.
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INVESTMENT property, 3 bedroom house near Georgia Tucker School. Attic ventilation. Venetian blinds. Garage Apartment. $10,500.
3 bedroom house and 8 lots. Benton St. $11,000.
LOT, 800 block Rochelle.
LOVELY corner lot with trees. 150x150. Highland Park.
LOTS on Slack Ave., West Monroe. Near Millsaps School. Paved street.
LOT on Mississippi St. $400.
LOTS on White's Ferry Rd. ¾ acres. $600.
2 LOTS on Lee Ave. $600 each.
'GENE FLOURNOY
706½ Trenton, W. M. Phone 1569, 672

LARGE 5-ROOM HOUSE. Bath. 3 porches. All good condition. 50x150. Price $4,200. 311 North 7th. Call E. W. Cruse, 5400.

111 RICHMOND
6-ROOM house with 2 porches. In good repair. Garage and store room. Good neighborhood. $6,850. Possession by April 1st.
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NICE 5-ROOM country home with all conveniences. Just 10 min. drive from town. Barn, fruit orchard, pecan trees. 50 acres good land. Live water year around.

3-ROOM HOUSE. Lights, gas, water. Lot 100x400. Plenty shade trees. $2,200.

711 ALABAMA, lovely 5 room home, bath-and-half, white Maple floors, screened porch, asbestos siding. Garage apartment. Corner lots 100x150.

3107 LEE Ave., two-story 3 bedroom home. Hardwood floors. $7,500.
SAM or MRS. BOURLAND
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FOR SALE
98 Acres, 6 room house near Drew. $2,000. Near Jr. College, 4 room house.
Cleaning plant. All new equipment. $6,000.
20 acres. All improvements. $1,575.
65 Acres. Improvements. Natchitoches Rd. Milhaven Road, 3 acres, 4 room house. Store building. Doing business. $4,500.
Hwy. 80, W. M. 3 bedrooms. 2 acres $10,500.
3403 Dick Taylor, 3 bedroom home. Lot facing lake, Edgewater Garden. $1,500.
Investment—8 houses for colored. 18th St. Must sell together.
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240 Acres—6-Room House
Bath. Garage apartment. Store building leased for $40 per month, large 2-story barn, poultry house, other out buildings. Well water, electric pump. 50 acres cultivatable land, balance pasture and hardwood timber. ½ mineral rights. 4 miles beyond Brown Paper Mill on Jonesboro Hwy. $12,500. E. W. Cruse, Phone 5400.

In Calhoun, La.—$4,200
6-Room house, acre land. Lights, good well water. Butane gas. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

FOR SALE
119 RICHMOND
SPECIAL—3 Bedrooms. Redecorated. Good hardwood floors. Excellent condition.
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Phone 2714 or 2372-J

BY OWNER—New 5-room, modern home, hardwood floors, large bedrooms, plenty closets, all rooms papered. Asbestos siding. Garage. Large corner lot. Park Ave. Bus right by door. Phone 2537.

COUNTRY HOME
5 ROOMS, bath without fixtures, attic fan, electric pump, Butane gas, lights, telephone. Poultry houses. All fenced. 3-room and 4-room tenant house. 2 large barns. 2 orchards. $4,000 worth hot beds, electrically heated. Some farm equipment. 70 acres land. 42 acres cultivated, balance pasture and woodland. About ½ mile off Shreveport Hwy. 7 miles from Monroe. $15,750. E. W. Cruse, 302 Ouachita Bank. Phone 5400.

NEW 5-ROOM HOMES WITH MANNERS!
Guaranteed not to shock either you or your pocketbook with a price tag beyond the reach of the average buyer.
Completely modern, in city limits of West Monroe, 1/2 block off bus line.
100% G. I. LOAN
F. H. A. APPROVED
T. D. PICKENS
Phone 7281

409 LAZARRE. West Monroe. FHA constructed 2-bedroom home. Corner lot. 2 blocks from school. Plenty built-ins. Hardwood floors. Venetian blinds. Slats-of-wood awnings. Price $7,325. $2,100 cash, assume notes. Phone 4716-M.

2-Bedroom Furnished House
4 rooms and bath, nice furniture, asphalt tile floors, shingle siding. 2 lots. About 2 blocks off DeSiard Rd., on Airport Rd. $4,000. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

6-ROOM HOUSE, tile bath, plenty closet space. Near Crosley School. Excellent condition.
3-BEDROOM HOME 1318 Spencer. Excellent condition. Corner lot. Shown by appointment.
6-ROOM HOME, 201 Arkansas, tile bath, large front porch, glassed-in side porch with entrance. Corner lot 65x143.
WHITE'S FERRY Rd.—3 room house, no bath. 10 acres under fence. Priced to sell.
Mrs. R. E. Davis—Phone 1094
If No Answer Phone 4054

MOST ATTRACTIVE HOMES
All Parts of the City
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AT JR. COLLEGE
2-BEDROOM HOME
Asbestos siding, red and white tile bath and shower, screened side and back porch. Attic ventilation. Garage and storage room, concrete drive. Lovely big lot. Best neighborhood.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
New Bendix and Range Included In This Price—
$11,250
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Mrs. Myrtis Harper, Mgr., Ph. 2805, 883

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

86—Houses For Sale

LARGE 5 room house, large bath, hardwood floors throughout, plenty large closets, built-in cabinets. Garage. $1,000 down $40.25 per month. 513 South 4th St. 3-29-P

6-ROOM HOUSE, bath. Attic fan. Two 2-room houses rent for $27.50 monthly. Store building and filling station, combined. All equipment and fixtures. Lights, well water, gas. Doing good business. 6 acres of land. Located on Black Top Road about 3/4 mile from West Monroe. $10,500. Approximately $5,000 cash to handle. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

4-ROOM HOUSE, barn, 37 acres land. Part incultivation, balance hardwood and pine lumber. Located one mile off Winnsboro Road on Miller Road, just beyond Harrison Rymes' known as the Tidwell Place. $2,000. Phone E. W. Cruse, 5400.

NICE 6-room house, 3 bedrooms, bath, several large closets, attic fan, less than six months old, two lots. Located 404 Browning, W. M. Near Mitchell School. $9,300. $1,100 down, balance like rent. Phone E. W. Cruse, 5400. Immediate possession.

½ BLOCK OFF S. GRAND
9-Room house, 2 baths, large screened porch. 6 rooms of practically new furniture. Lot 50x175. Nice neighborhood. $9,500. Arranged suitable for 3 apartments or home and one apartment. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

87—Lots For Sale

LOT, 50x175 in 1400 block of South 2nd. $600. Phone 5561-R. 3-29-P

FOR QUICK SALE—$690
Good building site 80 x 150 corner Holly and South 4th. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

2 LOTS facing Loop Road; corner Highland Ave. 100x130. $1,650 for both.
LUTHER REED & CO.
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10 ACRES of nice land, covered in medium size Pine trees, located ¼ mile off White's Ferry Rd. Priced for quick sale at only $2,000. Call me quick for this!
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Acre Ground—100x300
ON STANDIFER Ave., just beyond Delta Airline Shop. Lights, gas, water available. For quick sale $490. E. W. Cruse, Phone 5400.

Ideal Homesites
CORNER LOT, 50x150. Filhiol and South 5th, West Monroe. Paving and sidewalks.
2 lots on Lee St., Claiborne Addition, West Monroe. $200 each.
Choice location 100x400 on Bayou DeSiard, Edgewater Garden. $1,500.
4 lovely homesites 75x200 each in Splane subdivision near Hwy. 80. $500 each.
B. S. BRASWELL, Realtor
1006 Ouachita Bank Bldg.
Phone 2714 or 2372-J

Here Is the PLOT For The
NEXT CHAPTER IN YOUR LIFE
LOT 50x150 on Plum St., between Georgia and South 1st. $600.
CORNER LOT on McGuire, Cole Addition, near Junior College. $1,050.
LOT 50x150 on South Grand, $950.
2 LOTS 50x150 on Milton just off Jasmine, $2,500.
LOT 75x150, corner North 9th and Glenmar. Paving paid. $1,400.
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COLLEGE PLACE PLANS CANTATA

Easter Presentation To Be Given, Directed By D. C. Black

College Place Baptist Church, 301 Sherrouse Avenue, announces the presentation of the Easter cantata Sunday night at 7:30 under the direction of D. C. Black, director of music, and the accompanist at the piano will be Alta C. Faircloth. The choir totals 50 voices. The musical, "Cross and Crown," is considered excellent and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Cantata—"Cross and Crown," by E. L. Ashford.

Part 1—The Cross

No. 1—Piano introduction.
No. 2—Thou, Lord, wilt Arise (chorus).
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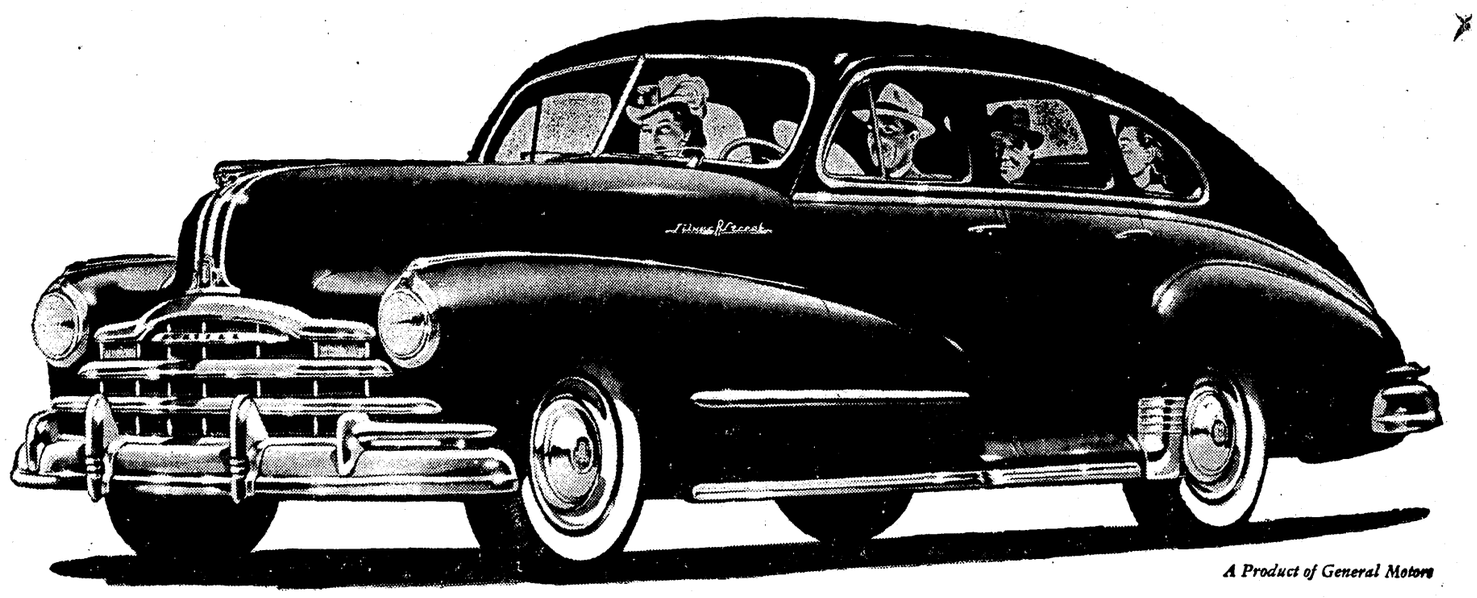

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Easter Presentation To Be Given, Directed By D. C. Black

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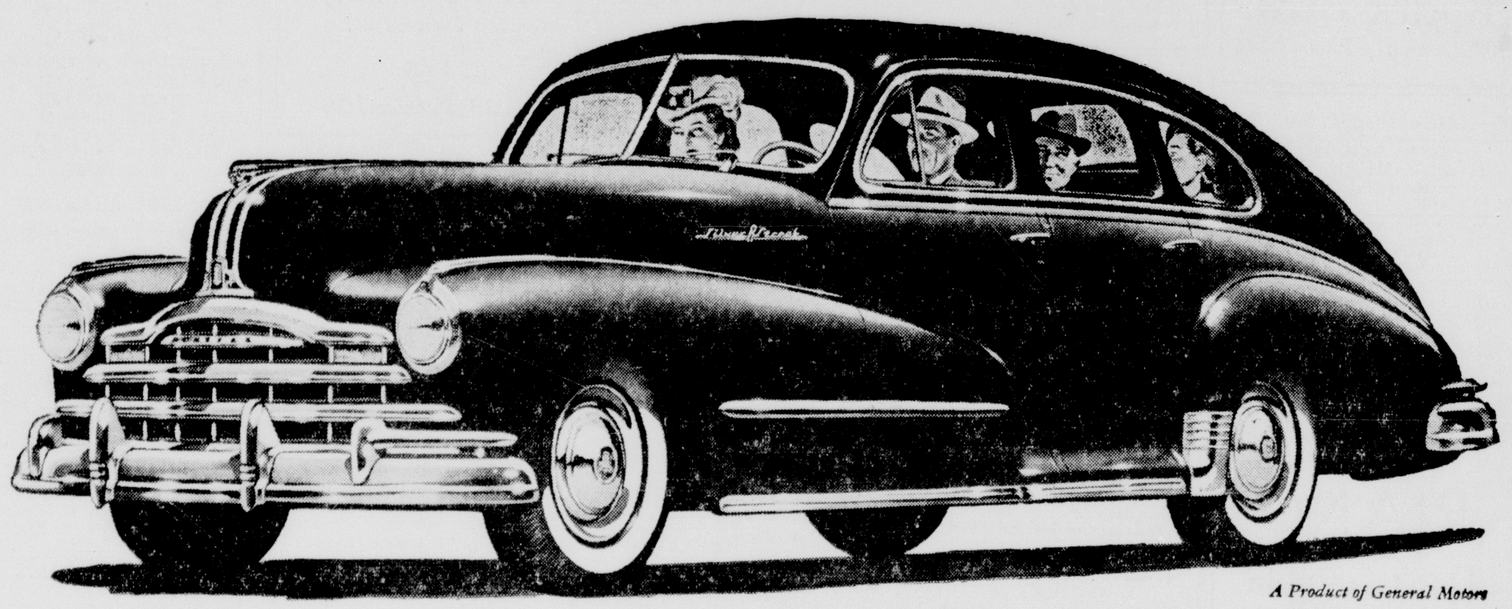

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BRILLIANT SPEAKERS ADDRESS MEMBERS OF ALTRUSA CLUB AT LA CASA TEA ROOM LUNCHEON

An Easter theme was reflected in every detail of the last meeting of the Monroe Altrusa Club at the La Casa where luncheon was served at the beautifully appointed table with a lavendar and yellow color portrayed. The central decor was a lovely arrangement of specimen daffodils and ferns, and violets. Tall yellow candles were spaced at intervals down the long table. Each place was marked by a pastel tinted egg-shell filled with candy eggs. Members and guests were given attractive programs adorned with Easter and Club symbols. The Altrusa Club is the oldest classified, selective service club for women in America. Serving on the committee responsible for the decorations and favors were Miss Emma Lee Short, Monroe Club president, Miss Helen Luckett, Miss Bernice McCoy and Miss Mary Benoit.

Miss Short presided with characteristic grace. Miss Mary Clay, chairman of the Altrusa Information Committee, Miss Clay entertained with clever witticisms directed at individual Altrusans and guests.

Two members of the Shreveport Altrusa Club, one of the more than 200 clubs which make up the Altrusa International organization, were guest speakers for the evening. Miss Clay first introduced Mrs. Rubye Cochran, who holds the classification of homemaker and the club chairmanship for Vocational Guidance. Mrs. Cochran gave an inspiring talk telling of the fine work the Shreveport Club has done in offering vocational guidance to students in high schools of their city. She said in part, using as a topic, "The Objectives of the Altrusa Club:"

The first objective of Altrusa is "My Country." Altrusa knows that there is no easy road to peace, as there is no easy road to progress of any sort; living, housing, world health, industrial relations. But peace can be built as we build it within ourselves, and together. Altrusa has always said "The nation is but the individual writ large" and beginning there. we know we can form the foundations of world government and peace.

In our international relations we are fortunate indeed; we travel in high company these days. We can, by the simple turning of a dial hear the President of the United States speaking to Congress; the secretary of state in testimony before important committees, or the marriage of a princess in Britain. Yet, we have pessimism all over the world, partly because our understanding has not kept pace with our knowledge of world affairs. Altrusa has met this problem by a splendidly planned program of world affairs whereby her members can be fully informed of the news behind the news.

Our second objective is "My Vocation" and my fellow worker. Altrusa early accepted as her major project the dissemination of vocational information. Outstanding work has been done with younger women, for the mature woman, and in educating the public that women go to work at any age. Shelves of books have been provided to many high school and college libraries on vocational subjects, and the thousands of personal interviews have been given by members of the clubs. It is no longer true that the choosing of the right vocation helps to make a good living, but a well chosen vocation, indeed, makes a good life. Altrusa reaches the height of service to others in its vocational information program.

Our third objective, "Altrusa and Myself"—Altrusa has always said it is not enough to be good, but we must be good for something. We must work to make our selves good citizens, understanding persons, and with a wholesome balance of work and play so that we make our major contribution to the world in which we live.

These things account for the fact that in thirty-one useful years of service, Altrusa has grown to more than 200 clubs with more than six thousand members."

Following Mrs. Cochran's talk, Miss Clay introduced Mrs. Mary Gunning, who holds an executive position in the lease and rental records division of a leading gas business in Shreveport. Mrs. Gunning was presented as one of the founders of the Monroe Altrusa Club as well as a sister of Dr. Julia Hunter, charter member of the Monroe Altrusa Club. Mention was made of the service rendered by Mrs. Gunning through her past office of Seventh District treasurer for the states of Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Mexico. Mrs. Gunning spoke with emphasis on the international aspects of Altrusa Club objectives. She said in part:

"Chaotic conditions of today, we do not feel that we made much progress but through our study last year we certainly became more acutely aware of our individual responsibilities. The committee feels that we must increase our knowledge of social relations and human behavior. We must work outward and upward as individuals because our individual attitude determines our club attitude. Intelligent self-interest in our own situation as women in a free country will enable us to cooperate in solving the problems of women in other lands. This realization led to the selection of our theme for this year—"Live and Let Live." This theme has been beautifully coordinated in the programs of the four standing committees—Vocational Information, Education, Public Affairs and International Relations—through which our clubs function. It is a program of positive thinking, planned to serve as a powerful force in meeting the economic and social problems of today and tomorrow."

Miss Mary Benoit, a past president of the Monroe Club, played the violin accompaniment to the Club Song.

Those present were: Mrs. F. M. Durham, Mrs. Rodney Cline, Mrs. Edwin Sisson, Mrs. Audrey Davis, Mrs. J. C. Crawford, Mrs. Jack Gaines, Mrs. Evelyn Reims, Miss Marguerite Kirkpatrick, Miss Nona Martin, Miss Maibel Hood, Mrs. Thelma Bond, Miss Mary Benoit, Miss Bernice McCoy, Miss Agatha Burkett, Mrs. Addie Lou Juneman, Miss Helen Sype, Mrs. Lester Carr, Miss Clydie Cox, Dr. Julia Hunter, Mrs. Thomas Luckett.

MEMBERS OF CONVENTION COMMITTEE

When the Auxiliary to the Louisiana State Medical Society meets in Monroe April 12 for the annual convention, five gracious hostesses, members of the entertainment committee, will extend courtesies to the visiting delegates. They ar, left to right, Mrs. H. V. Collins, Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, Mrs. James McConnell, Mrs. Irving Wolff and Mrs. Clifford Johnson.

Tea In Winnsboro Honors Recent Monroe Bride

Mrs. Thomas Williamson and Miss Rowena Ramage entertained at tea honoring Mrs. Harold Chambless of Monroe, the former Miss Ann Armstrong, in the Ramage home in Winnsboro, Saturday afternoon.

Receiving with Miss Ramage and Mrs. Williamson were Mrs. Chambless and her mother, Mrs. Childress Armstrong of Delhi. In the dining room guests were received by Mrs. Ramage Adams and Mrs. Julian Greenwald, Miss Ruth Pott presided at the punch bowl.

Mrs. Chambless wore a black moire taffeta suit with circular ankle length skirt and fitted jacket. A corsage of white carnations was worn. Mrs. Williamson wore a spring model of navy crepe, and a corsage of camelias. Miss Ramage wore a print model in shades of cameo pink and blue and a corsage of pale pink camellias. Mrs. Armstrong wore a black taillieur with a corsage of crimson carnations.

Mrs. Greenwald wore a floral print with rose camellias, and Mrs. Adams wore an afternoon model of pastel rose with white camellias. Miss Pott wore a spring print with a corsage of red carnations.

The house was beautifully decorated in a profusion of spring flowers. In the reception suite log fires were burning and the mantels were lovely with their arrangements of camellias. In this room vases and bowls on small tables held tulips, flowering magnolia, jonquil and spirea. Branches of redbud with flowering magnolia were placed in the hall and the handsomely appointed table in the dining room was centered with a graceful arrangement of jonquils and bridal wreath.

Seventy or more guests from Winnsboro, Monroe, Oak Grove, Delhi, Oak Ridge and Wisner called during the afternoon and were served a delicious fruit punch and assorted sandwiches, cakes and mints.

Miss McIntyre The Bride Of Mr. J. F. Williams

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Margaret Lois McIntyre, daughter of Mrs. Sadie M. McIntyre and the late Daniel C. McIntyre of Monroe, to Mr. Julius Frederick Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. S. Williams of Cullman, Alabama, on March 6 at 7 o'clock in the evening in Sexton Memorial Chapel of the First Methodist Church, Shreveport, Louisiana.

Vows were exchanged before the altar beautifully decorated with a long basket of pink gladioli and orchid stock, flanked on either side by tall candelabra burning with tapers. The Reverend D. L. Dykes read the impressive double ring ceremony.

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An Easter theme was reflected in every detail of the last meeting of the Monroe Altrusa Club at the La Casa where luncheon was served at the beautifully appointed table with a lavendar and yellow color portrayed. The central decor was a lovely arrangement of specimen daffodils and ferns, and violets. Tall yellow candles were spaced at intervals down the long table. Each place was marked by a pastel tinted egg-shell filled with candy eggs. Members and guests were given attractive programs adorned with Easter and Club symbols. The Altrusa Club is the oldest classified, selective service club for women in America. Serving on the committee responsible for the decorations and favors were Miss Emma Lee Short, Monroe Club president, Miss Helen Luckett, Miss Bernice McCoy and Miss Mary Benoit.

Miss Short presided with characteristic grace. Miss Mary Clay, chairman of the Altrusa Information Committee, Miss Clay entertained with clever witticisms directed at individual Altrusans and guests.

Two members of the Shreveport Altrusa Club, one of the more than 200 clubs which make up the Altrusa International organization, were guest speakers for the evening. Miss Clay first introduced Mrs. Rubye Cochran, who holds the classification of homemaker and the club chairmanship for Vocational Guidance. Mrs. Cochran gave an inspiring talk telling of the fine work the Shreveport Club has done in offering vocational guidance to students in high schools of their city. She said in part, using as a topic, "The Objectives of the Altrusa Club:"

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In our international relations we are fortunate indeed; we travel in high company these days. We can, by the simple turning of a dial hear the President of the United States speaking to Congress; the secretary of state in testimony before important committees, or the marriage of a princess in Britain. Yet, we have pessimism all over the world, partly because our understanding has not kept pace with our knowledge of world affairs. Altrusa has met this problem by a splendidly planned program of world affairs whereby her members can be fully informed of the news behind the news.

Our second objective is "My Vocation" and my fellow worker. Altrusa early accepted as her major project the dissemination of vocational information. Outstanding work has been done with younger women, for the mature woman, and in educating the public that women go to work at any age. Shelves of books have been provided to many high school and college libraries on vocational subjects, and the thousands of personal interviews have been given by members of the clubs. It is no longer true that the choosing of the right vocation helps to make a good living, but a well chosen vocation, indeed, makes a good life. Altrusa reaches the height of service to others in its vocational information program.

Our third objective, "Altrusa and Myself"—Altrusa has always said it is not enough to be good, but we must be good for something. We must work to make our selves good citizens, understanding persons, and with a wholesome balance of work and play so that we make our major contribution to the world in which we live.

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Following Mrs. Cochran's talk, Miss Clay introduced Mrs. Mary Gunning, who holds an executive position in the lease and rental records division of a leading gas business in Shreveport. Mrs. Gunning was presented as one of the founders of the Monroe Altrusa Club as well as a sister of Dr. Julia Hunter, charter member of the Monroe Altrusa Club. Mention was made of the service rendered by Mrs. Gunning through her past office of Seventh District treasurer for the states of Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Mexico. Mrs. Gunning spoke with emphasis on the international aspects of Altrusa Club objectives. She said in part:

"Chaotic conditions of today, we do not feel that we made much progress but through our study last year we certainly became more acutely aware of our individual responsibilities. The committee feels that we must increase our knowledge of social relations and human behavior. We must work outward and upward as individuals because our individual attitude determines our club attitude. Intelligent self-interest in our own situation as women in a free country will enable us to cooperate in solving the problems of women in other lands. This realization led to the selection of our theme for this year—"Live and Let Live." This theme has been beautifully coordinated in the programs of the four standing committees—Vocational Information, Education, Public Affairs and International Relations—through which our clubs function. It is a program of positive thinking, planned to serve as a powerful force in meeting the economic and social problems of today and tomorrow."

Miss Mary Benoit, a past president of the Monroe Club, played the violin accompaniment to the Club Song.

Those present were: Mrs. F. M. Durham, Mrs. Rodney Cline, Mrs. Edwin Sisson, Mrs. Audrey Davis, Mrs. J. C. Crawford, Mrs. Jack Gaines, Mrs. Evelyn Reims, Miss Marguerite Kirkpatrick, Miss Nona Martin, Miss Maibel Hood, Mrs. Thelma Bond, Miss Mary Benoit, Miss Bernice McCoy, Miss Agatha Burkett, Mrs. Addie Lou Juneman, Miss Helen Sype, Mrs. Lester Carr, Miss Clydie Cox, Dr. Julia Hunter, Mrs. Thomas Luckett.

MEMBERS OF CONVENTION COMMITTEE

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Tea In Winnsboro Honors Recent Monroe Bride

Mrs. Thomas Williamson and Miss Rowena Ramage entertained at tea honoring Mrs. Harold Chambless of Monroe, the former Miss Ann Armstrong, in the Ramage home in Winnsboro, Saturday afternoon.

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The house was beautifully decorated in a profusion of spring flowers. In the reception suite log fires were burning and the mantels were lovely with their arrangements of camellias. In this room vases and bowls on small tables held tulips, flowering magnolia, jonquil and spirea. Branches of redbud with flowering magnolia were placed in the hall and the handsomely appointed table in the dining room was centered with a graceful arrangement of jonquils and bridal wreath.

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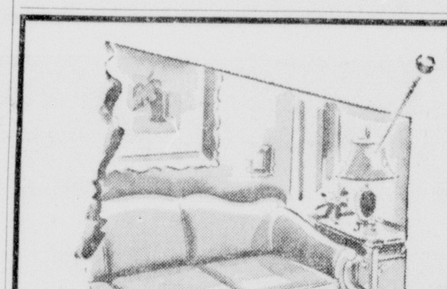

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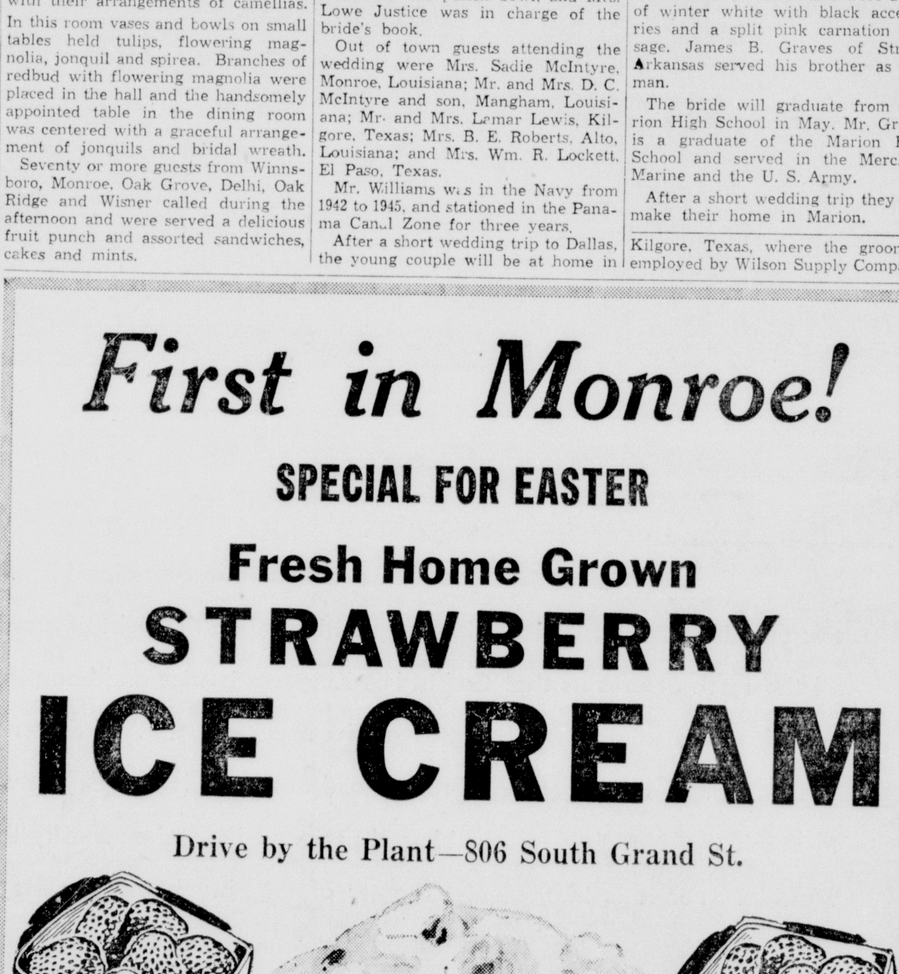

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Tier upon tier of cathedral tapers in tall white floor candelabra formed the background for the massive standards of lilies arranged in a semi-circle on the altar and banking the choir loft. Southern smilax festooned the walls directly above the altar and trailed along the lily studded chancel rail. Lilies and white stock also banked the low sills of the stained glass windows. After the candles were lighted the electries were lowered creating a scene of enchantment.

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When the first notes of the recessional were heard the ushers and the groomsmen, all in evening attire de rigueur of a formal wedding, walked down the aisle. They were C. D. Oakley, Jr., J. Edward Holmes, John Myers, Howard B. Gist, Jr., of Alexandria, Dr. Ben B. Cobb, Nelson D. Abell, Jeff Earle and Haynes L. Harkey.

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Fresh orange blossoms, flown from the Rio Grande, adorned the bride's cap on either side. They also were used in the bride's bouquet of white tulips and valley lilies, tied with long lengths of white satin ribbon.

For something old she carried her aunt's heirloom Rose point handkerchief.

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A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents immediately following the ceremony. In the reception suite marconi daisies, candy tuft, stock and tulips were used on the piano and mantel directly in front of the antique mirror which reflected the bridal party as they stood to receive. A plaque of camellias was placed on the desk where Miss Kathleen McKay in black taffeta evening model, presided over the bride's book.

The candle-lit dining room was adorned exclusively in white flowers with white stock predominating. Fresh orange blossoms flown from the Rio Grande Valley, circled the two punch tables.

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Honeymoon On Coast

After cutting the wedding cake the bride changed her wedding gown for a navy ensemble with matching accessories. After an extended honeymoon on the coast, Dr. and Mrs. Goggans will be at home at 59 Allard Blvd., New Orleans.

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ATTEND BREAKFAST IN HOLLYWOOD

A party of motorists from West Monroe, were photographed in Hollywood where they attended the Tom Brenneman breakfast. Reading from left to right, they are, Miss B. B. Stron, Mrs. Carey Phillips, Mrs. E. A. Autrey and Mrs. A. J. Lester.

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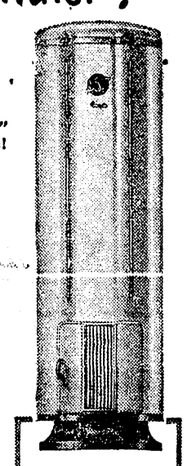

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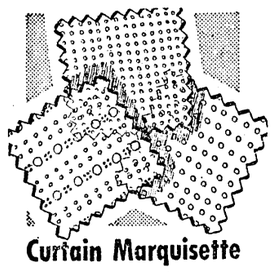

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Mrs. C. S. McConnell, cousin of the bride, was the only attendant. She wore a pink lace model over pink taffeta. The bodice was fashioned with a deep bertha of lace and a sash of wide satin ribbon falling to the hem line. She wore pink lace mitts and carried a bouquet of lavender and purple tulips and pink sweet peas tied with a butterfly bow of lavender satin ribbon. Mrs. McConnell's little daughter, Tamara, walked down the aisle with her father, Dr. C. S. McConnell. Her gown was a replica of her mother's and she carried a nosegay of pink roses and sweet peas.

Dr. Goggans was attended by Dr. G. C. Blanton, Jr., of Brooklyn, N. Y. The groomsmen were Dr. Fred William Sartor, Dr. Charles D. Knight of Shreveport, Dr. Albert P. Spear, Dr. F. J. Dastugue and Dr Carl B. Luikart of New Orleans.

The bride, given in marriage by her father wore a beautiful wedding gown of Duchess satin, princess style with seed pearl embroidery outlining the bodice hip line. Small self covered buttons extended down the back. The sleeves were long and tight fitting. The bride was the fifth generation to wear the tulle veil and Juliet cap of pearls.

Orange Blossoms Worn

Fresh orange blossoms, flown from the Rio Grande, adorned the bride's cap on either side. They also were used in the bride's bouquet of white tulips and valley lilies, tied with long lengths of white satin ribbon.

For something old she carried her aunt's heirloom Rose point handkerchief.

Mrs. Sartor, the bride's mother wore a rose beige crepe with corsage of orchids and orchids in her hair. Miss Mary Moss Goggans, sister of the groom, wore a nile green crepe with corsage of white camellias.

A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents immediately following the ceremony. In the reception suite marconi daisies, candy tuft, stock and tulips were used on the piano and mantel directly in front of the antique mirror which reflected the bridal party as they stood to receive. A plaque of camellias was placed on the desk where Miss Kathleen McKay in black taffeta evening model, presided over the bride's book.

The candle-lit dining room was adorned exclusively in white flowers with white stock predominating. Fresh orange blossoms flown from the Rio Grande Valley, circled the two punch tables.

On the bride's table, overlaid with elaborate cut work cloth, was placed at the four corners, nosegay bouquets of renunculus, white rose buds, and valley lilies. The massive, five-tiered cake in the center, surmounted with spun sugar wedding bells, valley lilies and roses was flanked by tall antique French, five-branched, candelabra holding white tapers. Wide satin ribbons radiated to the four corners from the cake. Valley lilies and tulle festooned the reflector. Silver compotes held white and green mints and individual wedding cakes embossed in valley lilies.

Mrs. E. A. Sartor in coral evening dress presided at the bride's table. Mrs. W. T. Sartor, Jr., and Mrs. E. E. Thompson in cerise and dusty rose floor length models served iced lime punch at the two punch tables. Mrs. Dan Boies McKay, Mrs. Edward Foster, Miss Martha Sartor, Miss Freeda Mickel, Mrs. L. J. Mulhern, and Mrs. C. W. Williams, all in pastel shaded evening models, passed trays of assorted cakes and mints.

Gifts of silver, china, crytal and linens were on display in the solarium, where also was placed the coffee table, which was centered with a shell pink, heart shaped, cake circled with pink camellias and silver candelabra, holding pink tapers. Mrs. John McCoy, in flesh pink chiffon, poured coffee and served individual heart shaped confections.

Mrs. Earline Sartor in violet taffeta, Mrs. J. M. Sartor in aqua crepe, Mrs. T. R. Sartor in beige crepe, Mrs. M. E. McCoy in lime green crepe, mingled with the guests and extended courtesies. Also assisting were Mrs. L. R. Hemler and Mrs. Janie Sartor.

Joe Monroe, Jr., presided at the piano during the reception.

Honeymoon On Coast

After cutting the wedding cake the bride changed her wedding gown for a navy ensemble with matching accessories. After an extended honeymoon on the coast, Dr. and Mrs. Goggans will be at home at 59 Allard Blvd., New Orleans.

Dr. Sartor is descended on her paternal side from the late Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Ryan Sartor, Sr., of Alto, La., and on the maternal side from Mrs. Joseph Denham Hubbs and the late Mr. Hubbs of Clinton, Lr. She attended the Louisiana State University where she received her B. S. degree and was a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority and of Mortar Board. Later she attended Louisiana State University School of Medicine where she received the degree of doctor of medicine and was a member of Alpha Epsilon Iota and The Circle. She is at present serving an internship at the Charity Hospital in New Orleans.

Dr. Goggans is a descendant of a prominent family of south and central Alabama. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Goggans of Hissop, Ala. He attended the University of Alabama where he received his B. A. degree and was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. He received his degree of Doctor of Medicine from Tulane University School of Medicine where he was a member of Phi Chi Medical fraternity. He served as a medical officer in the United States army as captain during World War II. He was stationed in the Pacific and in Japan for over two years. Dr. Goggans is at present a resident physcian in the field of internal medicine at the Charity Hospital in New Orleans.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were: Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Sartor, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Alton Sartor, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lane Sartor of Shreveport.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Goetz of Natchez, Miss., Mrs. E. B. Lipscomb, Jr., of Vicksburg, Miss., Miss Mary Moss Goggans of Jacksonville, Ala., Dr. and Mrs. G. D. Williams and daughter, Karen, of Mer Rouge, La., and many other friends and relatives from Rayville, Charlieville, Mangham, Monroe and Richland parish.

ATTEND BREAKFAST IN HOLLYWOOD

A party of motorists from West Monroe, were photographed in Hollywood where they attended the Tom Brenneman breakfast. Reading from left to right, they are, Miss B. B. Stron, Mrs. Carey Phillips, Mrs. E. A. Autrey and Mrs. A. J. Lester.

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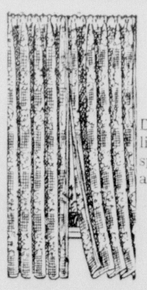

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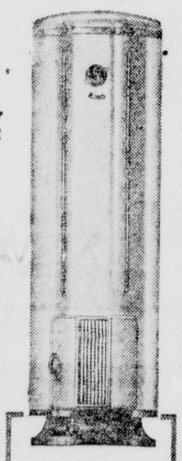

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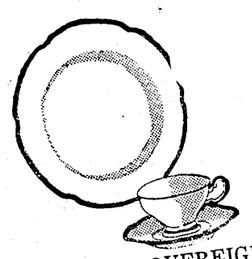

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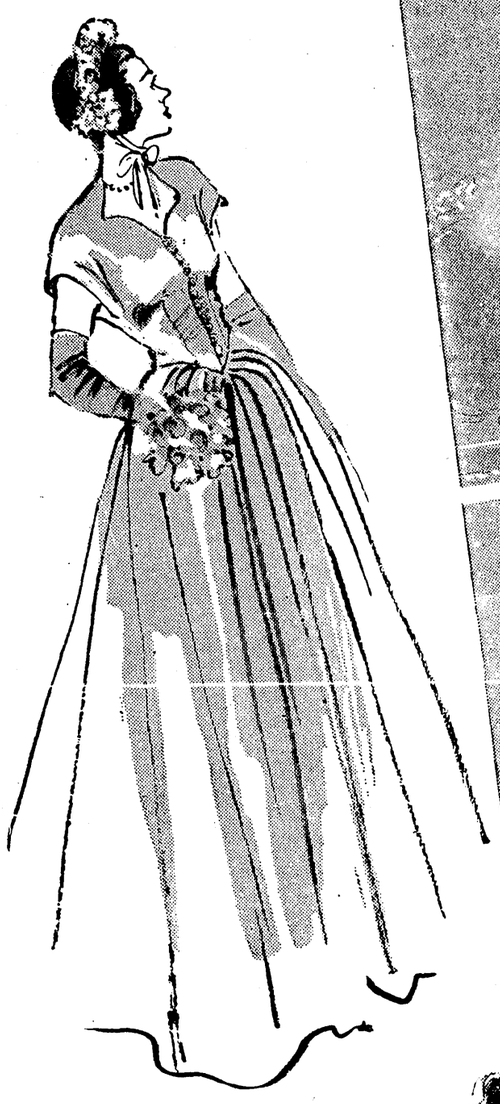

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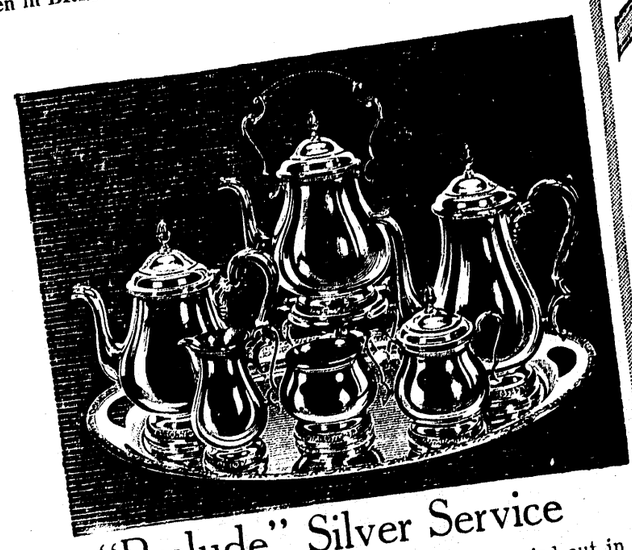

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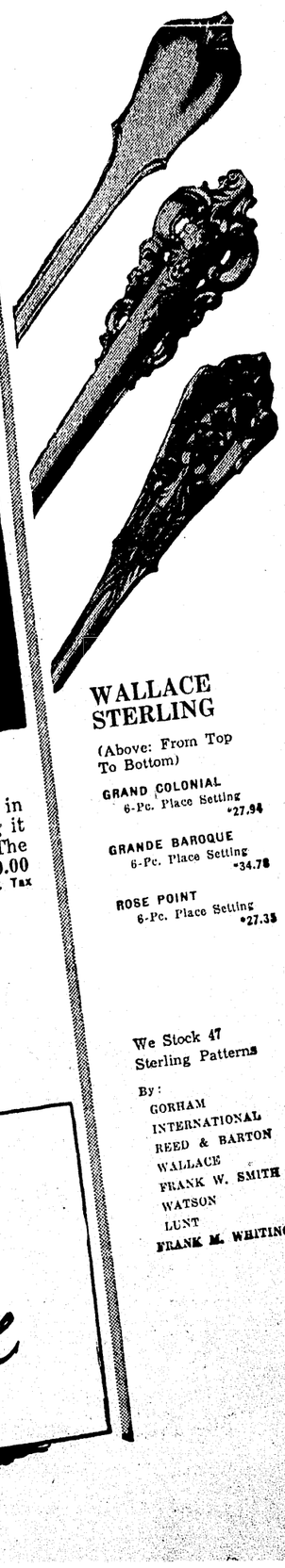

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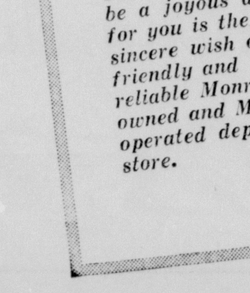

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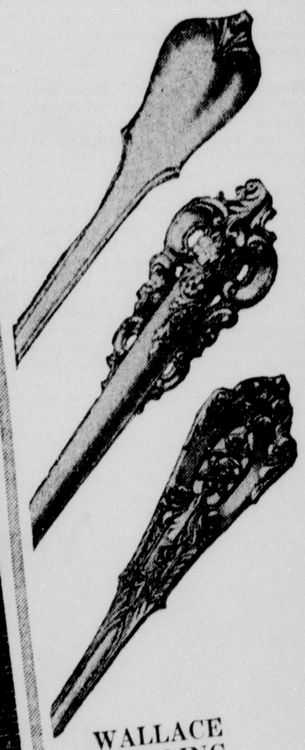

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Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Wood have returned from Atlanta, Ga., where they were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Ben Atkinson, and Mr. Atkinson. Dr. Wood and son, Captain Robert Wood, who is stationed in Warrington, Va., attended the T. T. Hinman Dental Clinic in Atlanta.

Mrs. H. W. Ellerson, accompanied by her son, of Roanoke Rapids, N. C., arrived in the city last week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Thompson and to attend the wedding, April 4, of Miss Gladys Emma Whitfield. Mrs. Ellerson will entertain on Monday at luncheon at the La Casa for Miss Whitfield.

Miss Cleta Harville, student at L. S. U., is spending the spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Harville.

Delta Kappa Pi sorority extends an invitation to their friends to attend the annual spring formal, April 2, on the terrace of the Frances Hotel.

Friends express sincere regret over the departure from Monroe of Mrs. Joe Haynes who has been associated with the Monroe Furniture Company for many years. She will make her home in Memphis, Tenn., while Mr. Haynes is attending Southern College of Optometry.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thompson, announce the arrival of their first child, a daughter, Linda Kay, at St. Francis Sanitarium, March 23.

Miss Shelby Meek is home from L. P. I. for the Easter vacation with her parents and incidentally to attend the week-end prenuptial affairs honoring her sister, Miss Mimi Meek, bride-elect.

Miss Ellen Findlay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Findlay, McGuire Avenue, and Miss Jo Ann Kyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Kyle, Jr., Rochelle Avenue, are home for the Easter holidays. Miss Findlay is classified as a second-year student in the high school department of All Saints' Episcopal College, Vicksburg, Miss., and Miss Kyle is classified as a first-year student in the high school department.

Miss Marness Lester arrived home for the Easter holidays from L. S. U. where she is taking post-graduate work, accompanied by a friend, Miss Mimi Viosca, who is a member of the faculty at L. S. U. Medical School in New Orleans.

Mrs. L. P. Milner left last week via airways for Florida where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Carter Worley, who resides in the suburbs of Miami.

Dr. and Mrs. Rodney Cline and Miss Kathleen Cline are spendig the Easter holiday season in Conroe, Ark., as guests in the home of Dr. Cline's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Lancaster.

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The primary chorus sang two numbers; "Easter Morning" by W. L. Wood, and "Baby Seed Song" by Nesbit.

The upper elementary chorus sang "Easter Carol" a Luthuanian Folk Song, "The Lord Is My Shepherd," by Kerchat, with Adah Beth Dollar as soloist, "Fairest Lord Jesus," the Crusaders Hymn, "Cherubim Song," by Bertianshy, "Galilee" by Donizetti, and "Send Out Thy Light" by Gounod.

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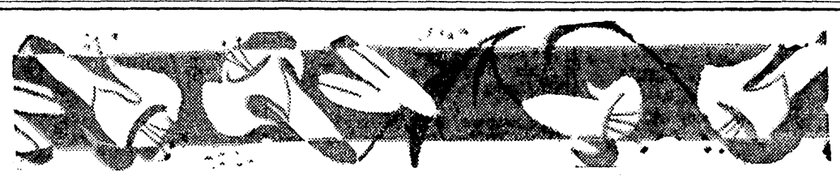

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The augmented choir will render the musical parts of Mozart's 12th Mass and the offertory Anthem will be Schilling's "Christ Our Passover." Miss Gertrude Sandrock will sing the solo parts.

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People You Know--

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Both choruses combined to bring the glorious "Christ, the Lord Is Risen" By Wilson.

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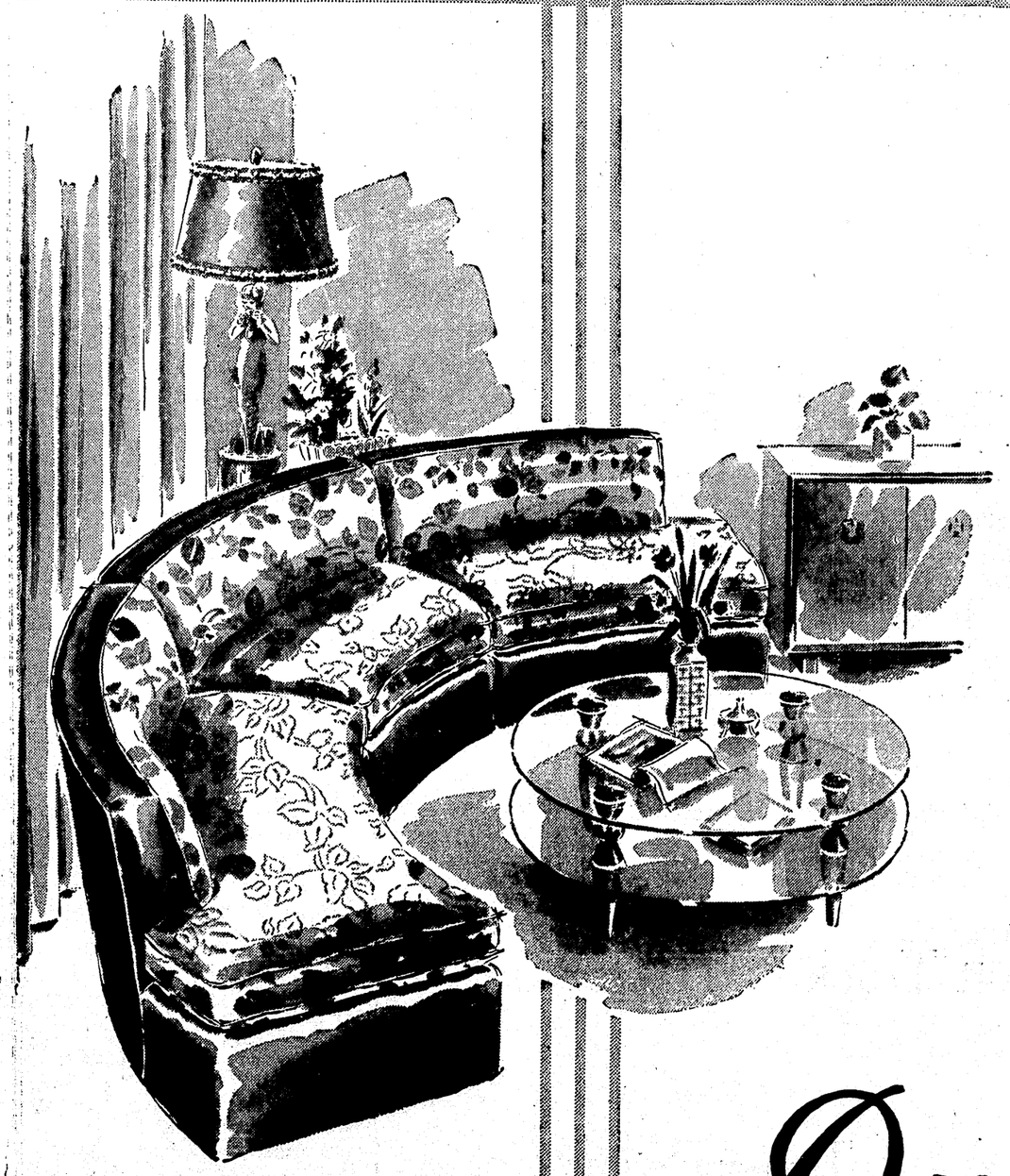

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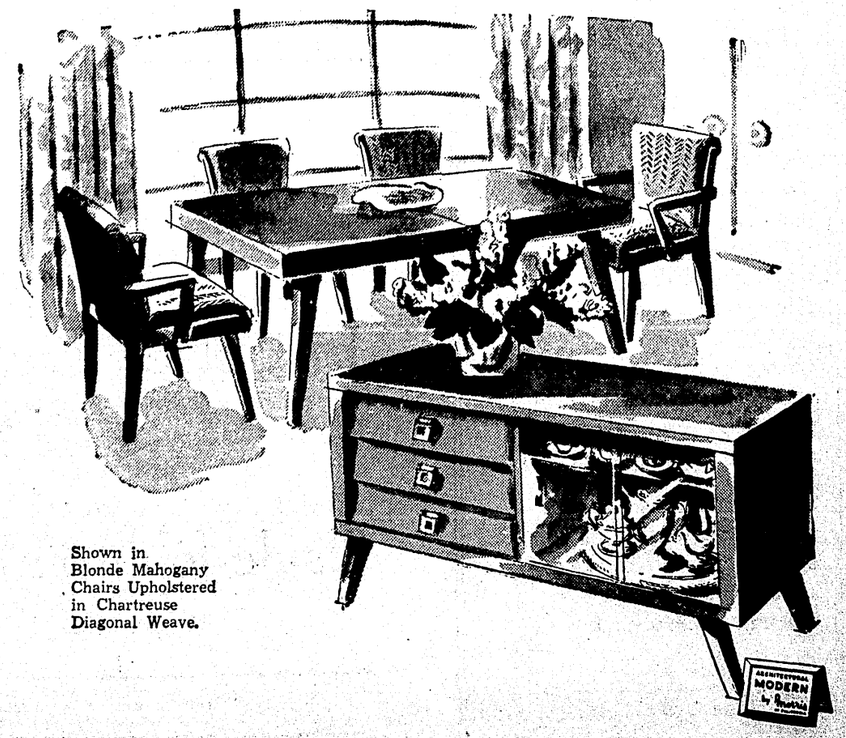

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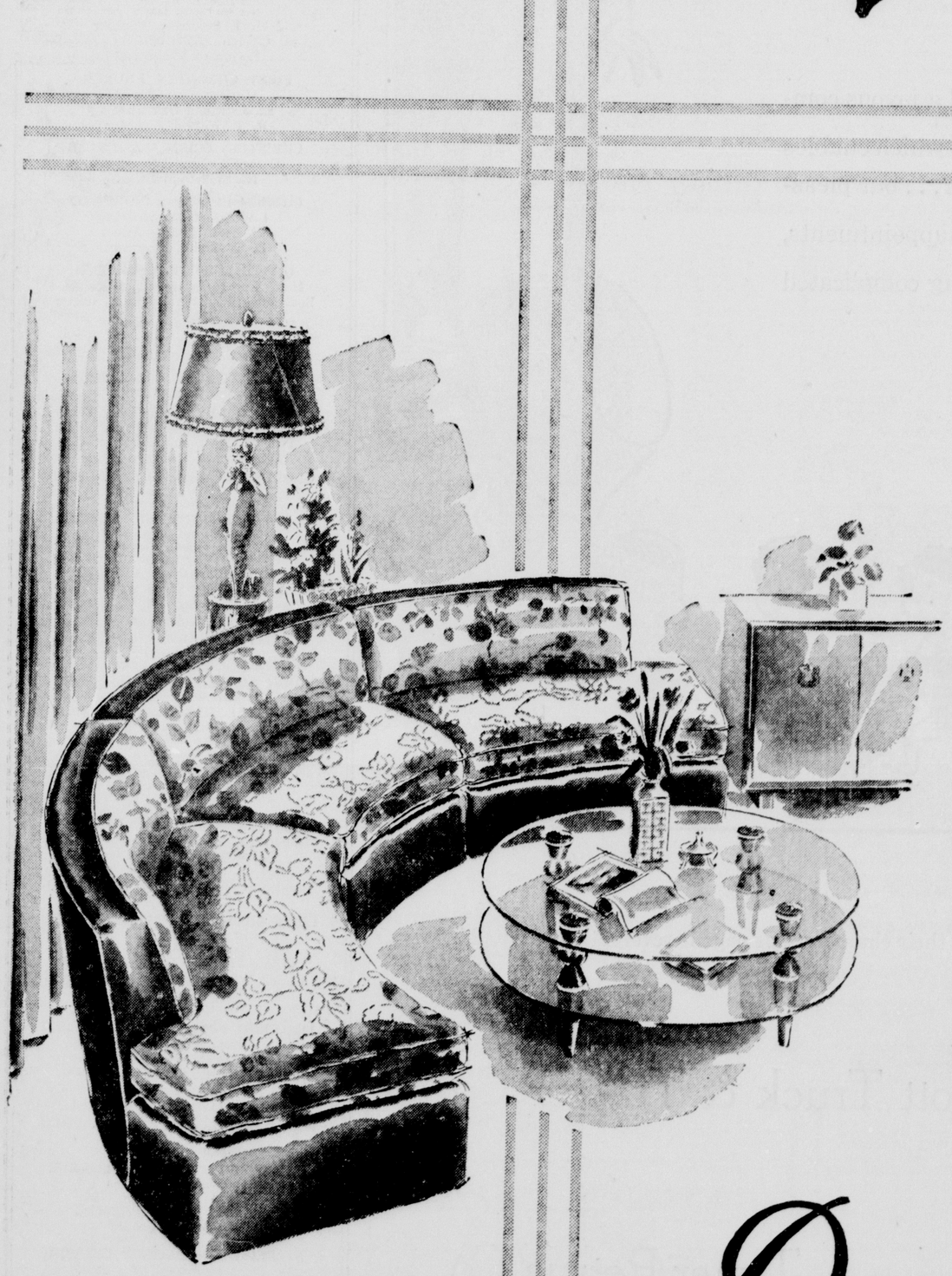

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Through the open stained glass windows of the church we can hear the thrush's sprightly note . . . and we know it's Easter . . . the time of the Resurrection of Christ. When we see a plowed field ready for the seeding we know this productivity that feeds the nation . . . that employs scores of Americans in gainful labor . . . is a

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manifestation of Him, too . . . When we see one neighbor shake another's hand, one nation discussing "PEACE ON EARTH" with another . . . we are certain of Him . . . And when we hear the organ intone the immortal hymns

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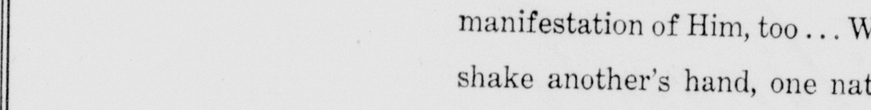

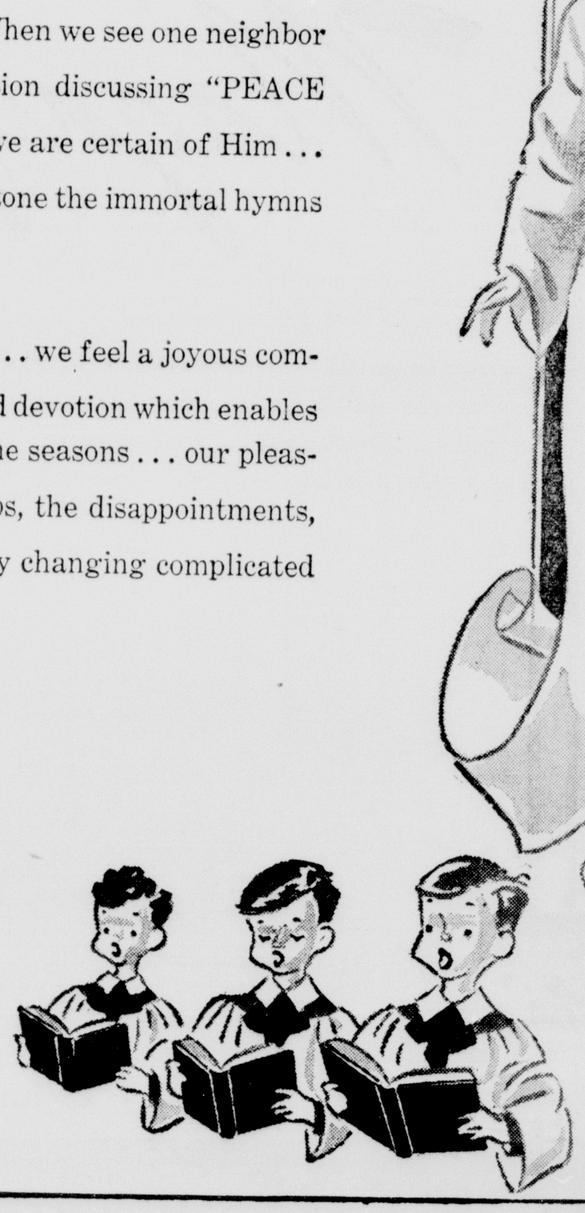

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Purely Personal

Easter Sunday . . . the season of beauteous lilies . . . of men, women and children's face rapt in exhalted prayer, honoring the Resurrection of Jesus. Whether we attend church regularly or not, we'll experience at Easter-tide service a soul-endearing communion with Him . . . an intense faith in His deeds and being. It's always soul inspiring to sit in church Easter morning and see the sun sending radiant beams through the stained glass windows and to hear voices blended in the singing of hymns of strength. To hear Christ's words spoken as truly as if He were among us today. These joyous experiences are ours when we attend Easter services.

The Easter Cantata, "The Dawn of the Kingdom," presented tonight at the First Methodist church will be a soul inspiring event. There will be eleven sopranos, nine altos, six tenors and eleven basses. The dramatic recitative passages will be sung by Mrs. A. M. Serex and Ellis Bairnsfather. Mrs. Estelle Sanders will direct this mighty chorus of voices lifted in the old familiar strain "He Is Risen! He Is Risen!

Guests are arriving in the city for one of the season's prominent nuptial events on Monday evening at St. Matthew's church when Miss Lee Slagle and Hunter Pierson of Alexandria will stand at the lily banked altar to exchange their vows. Mrs. Roy Johns, Jr., the matron of honor, arrived last week from New Orleans and the flower girl, Diane Pierson of Alexandria arrived in the city Friday with her parents. Mrs. Edward Sanford of Port Arthur, Texas, one of the bridesmaids also arrived last week. Miss Slagle selected five lovely bridesmaids to accompany her to the altar. In addition to Mrs. Sanford they are, Mrs. Eugene Nash, Miss Ann Brown, Miss Cleta Godfrey and Miss Mary Helen Walker.

Mr. Pierson will have as his best man, Dr. Jasper Hogan of Macon, Georgia. The groomsmen will be David Pierson of Alexandria, Elmer Slagle, Jr., of Monroe, Roy Johns, Jr., of New Orleans, Coleman Hudson, Jr., and Louis Bennett Porterie of Alexandria. The ushers will be Edwin Gordon Wright of Monroe, Camille Gravel, Jr., Donald Garrett, James Harris Prosser, Albin Provosty Scott of Alexandria, Thomas Norton Bernard and William Perry Brown III of New Orleans, John McCown of Mobile, Ala., and Frank Voelker of Lake Providence.

Harry Granary flew from far away Bogota, Columbia, S. A., just to see his favorite nephew, Bobby Oliver walk down the aisle with his lovely wife, the former Jane Rhymes, on his arm. And it was well worth the long flight as he was privileged to see all his old friends at the wedding. He was privileged also to see his two sisters, Mrs. C. D. Oakley and Mrs. Harry Oliver, in lovely evening attire assist in receiving the guests at the reception. He was especially interested in Mrs. Oliver's attire (as were all her friends) as it was unusually distinctive. The material for her evening cape was made of the gorgeous silver brocade brought from India by her son, McVea Oliver when he was stationed there during the war.

Much sentiment was attached to this wedding. The silver knife, for instance, used by the bride and groom to cut their wedding cake, was a wedding gift belonging to Mr. Oliver's grandmother, the late Mrs. Blanche Granary. Another bit of sentiment was attached to the bridegroom's wedding gift to his bride . . . an exquisite black onyx brooch with small gold cross that belonged to his great grandmother. And by the way it was Miss Dorothea Girault who caught the wedding bouquet. . . . an exotic thing of white orchids and valley lilies.

Hats are so beautiful this spring we never expected to see one that was really outstanding but the one Mrs. Jack Rogers wore at the Rhymes-Oliver wedding was certainly a honey. It was a luscious pink, off-the-face hat of pink fowers and tuile and very flattering.

Beautiful feminine apparel was noted on every hand at this wedding but the black and white gown Miss Lallage Feazel wore was distinctive to the Nth degree. The necklace worn with the gown was the perfect accessory. . . it was made of flashing diamantes with tear-drop pendants. The gown and the necklace was shown in the spring edition of Vogue magazine and was purchased for Miss Feazel by a modiste who selects her wardrobe.

It was Mrs. J. Normon Coon's pleasure to entertain her parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Suttle of Jackson, Miss., on their golden wedding anniversary. The bridge of years was spanned in the most delightful manner with friends calling at the Coon home where gracious hospitality, reminiscent of the days when Mr. and Mrs. Suttle were first married, was extended during the receiving hours.

When Mrs. Melanie Meyer was in London just before World War II she met a charming woman, Mrs. Camille Fogarty of New York who married a Britisher and lived in London and Paris. They became firm friends and Mrs. Fogarty is now visiting Mrs. Meyer in her suite at the Frances hotel. Mrs. Fogarty and family braved the vicissitudes of war for several years, but Mrs. Fogarty, even now, awakens with fear when she hears airplanes overhead. Gradually, however, she is getting back to normal and enjoying the many privileges life in America has to offer.

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The home of the John McCoys of Alto was gay with spring flowers on Friday evening, March 12th, when Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sartor, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCoy entertained Dr. Dianer Sartor and Dr. Albert Goggans at a buffet supper following rehearsal.

Small linen covered tables were placed throughout the reception suite and dining room. Rose tinted camelias formed the center decor of each table.

The buffet table, overlaid with imported cut-work cloth, was centered with a mound of white narcissus, jonquil and valley lillies and flanked by crystal candalabra holding white tapers.

A supper was served to: Dr. Diane Sartor and Dr. A. M. Goggans, Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Blanton, Jr., Dr. A. P. Spaar, Dr. Fred W. Sartor, Dr. Charles D. Knight, Dr. T. J. Dastugue, Dr. C. B. Luikart, Dr. and Mrs. James E. Ball, Dr. and Mrs. C. S. McConnell, Tamar McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. D. Ryan Sartor, Mr. Ryan Sartor, Jr., Mr. William T. Sartor, Jr., Mrs. J. Y. Abraugh, Mrs. C. E. Gay, Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boies McKay, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sartor, and Mr. and Mrs. John A. McCoy.

RHYMES-OLIVER BRIDAL ATTENDANTS

Miss Jane Rhymes was attended by a matron of honor and four bridesmaids when she became the bride of Mr. Robert Oliver at the First Methodist Church, March 21. The attendants, left to right, upper row are: Mrs. O. B. Frazier, Mrs. Ben Cobb, Mrs. David King. Left to right lower row, Miss Miriam Oliver and Miss Dorothea Girault.

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PARKVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH
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405 Stubbs Avenue
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Parkview Baptist Church extends a cordial invitation to you to worship with us today. The hours of service are:

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
B. T. U., 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.

At the morning service our pastor will preach on the subject, "A Living Hope." and at the evening service his subject will be, "The Uplifted Christ." Specially prepared Easter music will be presented by the junior choir and Mrs. Cecil Hill has graciously consented to sing for us at the morning service.

This is our day for special gift contributions to the building fund and the membership is urged to keep this in mind.

Regular prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:30. This is also the regular business meeting of the church and such matters that need discussion will be disposed of at that time.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
St. John And Grammont Streets
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"But now is Christ risen from the dead and become the first fruits of them that slept."

Sunday's services:

9:45 Sunday school.

10:55 "The Cross in the Garden of Eden," Dr. Dan Gilbert.

Special music by the choir.

1:30 "The Resurrection of Jesus," the pastor over KMLB.

3:00 Mass meeting at church: Dr. Gilbert will speak on "The War America is Going to Lose." The coming of the terrible enemy that will invade the land, despoil our women and enslave our men. Everybody is invited.

6:15 Training Union and Brotherhood.

7:15 "Will Christ Come Before the Crackup of the United Nations?" This will be Dr. Gilbert's final message in this series. Better not miss it.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH
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As our custom we will have our Easter Sunrise service Sunday at 6 a.m.

Pastor's message at the 11 o'clock hour will be, "What If Christ Had Not Risen?"

Sunday night at the 7:30 hour our pastor will speak from the subject, "If Christ Should Not Return, What?"

Sunday School meets at 9:45. There is a class for everyone.

Easter egg hunt Sunday afternoon. Let all meet at the church not later than 2:15.

B. T. U. and Brotherhood meets at 6:30.

The Emmanuel Baptist Church extends a hearty welcome to one and all who have no church home to worship with us. Visitors always welcome. Visit us today.

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Beginning today with renewed emphasis on our Sunday school meeting, 10:00 a. m. The new literature is here for the new quarter and a great group is anticipated.

Special emphasis to the occasional season. Hear the pastor's messages today, "Easter Once a Year, or Once a Week," morning and "To Late For Church," evening. Come in prayer and faith for a great holy ghost power in His services today. Bring your family and friends, join the great move back to God and church.

Remember April 4 to 9. The Simultanous study course in all our Baptist churches of this association.

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9:45 The church teaching, Bible school, L. L. Price superintendent.

10:50 The church worshipping. "That God hath Raised Him," Romans 10:9 will be the pastor's subject.

6:30 The church training (1) Training Union, C. C. Kornmann, director; (2) Brotherhood, W. L. Jones, president.

7:30 The church worshipping in song. The choir will render a cantata by E. L. Ashford, "Cross and Crown."

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Our motto: "A church established by God with a future as bright as His face."

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STAR OF 'MISSING WITNESS'

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attended the University of Washington for a year, and then met her husband, Joe Gilmer when he was in the army. She married him and went to New York with him, and it was there she met the Breeses, and heard Frank's stories of the Monroe Little Theatre. She lived first in West Monroe, on coming to Louisiana, and is now a resident of Monroe.

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Sheridan O'Brien plays the other male lead, that of Bob Crandall, the defense attorney, in his first role with the local theatre. Coming here from Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wis., where he was majoring in English, he did construction work on the home for the aged. In college, he took part in productions of the Fond du Lac, Wis., Little Theatre, playing in "My Sister Eileen," and Jerry Seymour in "Claudia." In high school, he appeared in "Julius Caesar," and "Midsummer Night's Dream."

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David Nicol, who plays the clerk, did his first Little Theatre work last fall when he handled lights on "Hay Fever." A graduate of Carnegie Institute of Technology last June, he is now with Commercial Solvents. He graduated from Ouachita Parish High, and his public appearances previous to this have been mostly as a clarinet player with the high school and college bands.

Lorraine Hall is new to the local Little Theatre, but she has a world of experience. She has been making appearances on the stage since she was six, and had private teachers before she went to the University of Minnesota and took her B. A. in speech. Then she did professional radio work, acting, writing and directing, in Minneapolis, and later had dramatic schools in Tyler, Texas, Kilgore and Quitman, Texas, and Magnolia, Arkansas. She also directed the Tyler Children's Theatre and the summer theatre for children, the Summer Playhouse, in Kent, Conn. Her role is that of Gert Grace, a musical comedy comedienne.

Dorothy Morrow is the wife of the leading man of the last play, and holding up the family reputation. From Columbus, Mississippi, she met Chuck when he was stationed at the Columbus Army Air Base, and has lived in Monroe for the past two years. She appeared in high school plays. She will play Alice Raymond, the missing witness.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Templeton, Route 6, Eldorado, Arkansas, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Jo Templeton to Mr. Marshal G. Compton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mose P. Compton, Farmerville, Louisiana, on March 24, at 9:00 p. m. in the home of Miss Margaret Nell Compton, 603 Arkansas Avenue, Monroe, Louisiana.

The bride wore a lovely light gray suit with black accessories and a beautiful corsage of pink carnations.

Miss Sybil Smith, Eldorado, Arkansas, was in attendance as maid of honor, dressed in a lovely black suit with green assessories and corsage of white carnations. Bridesmaids were Miss Betty Brooks, also of Eldorado, dressed in a beautiful green suit with brown accessories and corsage of white carnations; and Miss Margaret Nell Compton, sister of the groom, dressed in a lovely pink and black dress with black accessories and a corsage of pale pink carnations.

Mr. John Lee Williams, Farmerville, Louisiana, served as best man with Mr. Jiles Christian, also of Farmerville, as usher.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ernest Holloway, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Monroe, Louisiana.

Reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the home of Miss Margaret Nell Compton.

The bride and groom will spend a short honeymoon in Alexandria, Louisiana. They will make their home in Monroe, Louisiana.

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The Easter Cantata, "The Dawn of the Kingdom," presented tonight at the First Methodist church will be a soul inspiring event. There will be eleven sopranos, nine altos, six tenors and eleven basses. The dramatic recitative passages will be sung by Mrs. A. M. Serex and Ellis Bairnsfather. Mrs. Estelle Sanders will direct this mighty chorus of voices lifted in the old familiar strain "He Is Risen! He Is Risen!

Guests are arriving in the city for one of the season's prominent nuptial events on Monday evening at St. Matthew's church when Miss Lee Slagle and Hunter Pierson of Alexandria will stand at the lily banked altar to exchange their vows. Mrs. Roy Johns, Jr., the matron of honor, arrived last week from New Orleans and the flower girl, Diane Pierson of Alexandria arrived in the city Friday with her parents. Mrs. Edward Sanford of Port Arthur, Texas, one of the bridesmaids also arrived last week. Miss Slagle selected five lovely bridesmaids to accompany her to the altar. In addition to Mrs. Sanford they are, Mrs. Eugene Nash, Miss Ann Brown, Miss Cleta Godfrey and Miss Mary Helen Walker.

Mr. Pierson will have as his best man, Dr. Jasper Hogan of Macon, Georgia. The groomsmen will be David Pierson of Alexandria, Elmer Slagle, Jr., of Monroe, Roy Johns, Jr., of New Orleans, Coleman Hudson, Jr., and Louis Bennett Porterie of Alexandria. The ushers will be Edwin Gordon Wright of Monroe, Camille Gravel, Jr., Donald Garrett, James Harris Prosser, Albin Provosty Scott of Alexandria, Thomas Norton Bernard and William Perry Brown III of New Orleans, John McCown of Mobile, Ala., and Frank Voelker of Lake Providence.

Harry Granary flew from far away Bogota, Columbia, S. A., just to see his favorite nephew, Bobby Oliver walk down the aisle with his lovely wife, the former Jane Rhymes, on his arm. And it was well worth the long flight as he was privileged to see all his old friends at the wedding. He was privileged also to see his two sisters, Mrs. C. D. Oakley and Mrs. Harry Oliver, in lovely evening attire assist in receiving the guests at the reception. He was especially interested in Mrs. Oliver's attire (as were all her friends) as it was unusually distinctive. The material for her evening cape was made of the gorgeous silver brocade brought from India by her son, McVea Oliver when he was stationed there during the war.

Much sentiment was attached to this wedding. The silver knife, for instance, used by the bride and groom to cut their wedding cake, was a wedding gift belonging to Mr. Oliver's grandmother, the late Mrs. Blanche Granary. Another bit of sentiment was attached to the bridegroom's wedding gift to his bride . . . an exquisite black onyx brooch with small gold cross that belonged to his great grandmother. And by the way it was Miss Dorothea Girault who caught the wedding bouquet. . . . an exotic thing of white orchids and valley lilies.

Hats are so beautiful this spring we never expected to see one that was really outstanding but the one Mrs. Jack Rogers wore at the Rhymes-Oliver wedding was certainly a honey. It was a luscious pink, off-the-face hat of pink fowers and tulle and very flattering.

Beautiful feminine apparel was noted on every hand at this wedding but the black and white gown Miss Lallage Feazel wore was distinctive to the Nth degree. The necklace worn with the gown was the perfect accessory. . . it was made of flashing diamantes with tear-drop pendants. The gown and the necklace was shown in the spring edition of Vogue magazine and was purchased for Miss Feazel by a modiste who selects her wardrobe.

It was Mrs. J. Normon Coon's pleasure to entertain her parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Suttle of Jackson, Miss., on their golden wedding anniversary. The bridge of years was spanned in the most delightful manner with friends calling at the Coon home where gracious hospitality, reminiscent of the days when Mr. and Mrs. Suttle were first married, was extended during the receiving hours.

When Mrs. Melanie Meyer was in London just before World War II she met a charming woman, Mrs. Camille Fogarty of New York who married a Britisher and lived in London and Paris. They became firm friends and Mrs. Fogarty is now visiting Mrs. Meyer in her suite at the Frances hotel. Mrs. Fogarty and family braved the vicissitudes of war for several years, but Mrs. Fogarty, even now, awakens with fear when she hears airplanes overhead. Gradually, however, she is getting back to normal and enjoying the many privileges life in America has to offer.

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Small linen covered tables were placed throughout the reception suite and dining room. Rose tinted camelias formed the center decor of each table.

The buffet table, overlaid with imported cut-work cloth, was centered with a mound of white narcissus, jonquil and valley lillies and flanked by crystal candalabra holding white tapers.

A supper was served to: Dr. Diane Sartor and Dr. A. M. Goggans, Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Blanton, Jr., Dr. A. P. Spaar, Dr. Fred W. Sartor, Dr. Charles D. Knight, Dr. T. J. Dastugue, Dr. C. B. Luikart, Dr. and Mrs. James E. Ball, Dr. and Mrs. C. S. McConnell, Tamar McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. D. Ryan Sartor, Mr. Ryan Sartor, Jr., Mr. William T. Sartor, Jr., Mrs. J. Y. Abraugh, Mrs. C. E. Gay, Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boies McKay, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sartor, and Mr. and Mrs. John A. McCoy.

RHYMES-OLIVER BRIDAL ATTENDANTS

Miss Jane Rhymes was attended by a matron of honor and four bridesmaids when she became the bride of Mr. Robert Oliver at the First Methodist Church, March 21. The attendants, left to right, upper row are: Mrs. O. B. Frazier, Mrs. Ben Cobb, Mrs. David King. Left to right lower row, Miss Miriam Oliver and Miss Dorothea Girault.

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Regular prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:30. This is also the regular business meeting of the church and such matters that need discussion will be disposed of at that time.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
St. John And Grammont Streets
L. T. Hastings, Pastor
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"But now is Christ risen from the dead and become the first fruits of them that slept."

Sunday's services:
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As our custom we will have our Easter Sunrise service Sunday at 6 a.m.

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Easter egg hunt Sunday afternoon. Let all meet at the church not later than 2:15.

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301 Sherrouse Avenue
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Music Director, D. C Black
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10:50 The church worshipping. "That God hath Raised Him," Romans 10:9 will be the pastor's subject.
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The Annual Easter Worship Service of the Y-Teens of the Y. W. C. A. was held on Thursday afternoon at the "Y". Nancy Johnson served as leader for the service. Robbie Lee Grant read the scripture. Jackie Barr read a lovely Easter poem. Barbara Monroe, Donna Faye Montgomery, Margaret Hunter, Frances Manley, Justine McMurry, Billie Ingram, members of the Y'D Awake Club, accompanied by Lillian LeBlanc at the piano, sang "Above the Hills of Time." Reverend E. K. Means gave an inspiring Easter meditation: "Lay Hold on Eternal Life."

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The nineteen members of the cast of "The Missing Witness" are taking today off to celebrate Easter, but will be hard at work again tomorrow, with dress rehearsal, in preparation for Tuesday night's opening of the Courtroom Drama in the Criminal Court Room on the second floor of the Ouachita Parish Court House, according to Kay Crandall Causey, director of the Monroe Little Theatre, whose fourth production of the season comes off this week.

In the leading role of Helen Montgomery is Julie Gimler, a niece of two well-known Twin City residents, Frank Breese and Bailey Grant. She attended the University of Washington for a year, and then met her husband, Joe Gilmer when he was in the army. She married him and went to New York with him, and it was there she met the Breeses, and heard Frank's stories of the Monroe Little Theatre. She lived first in West Monroe, on coming to Louisiana, and is now a resident of Monroe.

James Assunto, who has been seen this year in two prominent roles, plays his first local lead as Prosecutor Barkley. In "Hay Fever" he played Sandy Tyrell, and in "State of the Union," Sam Parrish. From New Orleans, where he graduated from Tulane in business administration and took part in plays of the Tulane University Theatre, he was also active in New Orleans Little Theatre, the Vieux Carre, playing in "Mr. and Mrs. North," "There Shall Be No Night," "Boy Meets Girl," and others.

Sheridan O'Brien plays the other male lead, that of Bob Crandall, the defense attorney, in his first role with the local theatre. Coming here from Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wis., where he was majoring in English, he did construction work on the home for the aged. In college, he took part in productions of the Fond du Lac, Wis., Little Theatre, playing in "My Sister Eileen," and Jerry Seymour in "Claudia." In high school, he appeared in "Julius Caesar," and "Midsummer Night's Dream."

Gilbert Findlay returns to the theatre in the role of the judge, after time out for a broken leg. In "Hay Fever," he played David Bliss, and in "State of the Union," Colonel Alexander. He came here last spring with Kellogg Construction Co., and was joined in August by his wife. A long-time employee of Kellogg, he has worked in Persia, Palestine, the West Indies, and other foreign spots.

Frank Patterson, who plays the Attendant, had his first introduction to the Little Theatre on the last play, when his wife helped Kit Walters cut out uniforms for the British officers and men. He has appeared in P.-T. A. plays and skits at the Baptist Church.

David Nicol, who plays the clerk, did his first Little Theatre work last fall when he handled lights on "Hay Fever." A graduate of Carnegie Institute of Technology last June, he is now with Commercial Solvents. He graduated from Ouachita Parish High, and his public appearances previous to this have been mostly as a clarinet player with the high school and college bands.

Lorraine Hall is new to the local Little Theatre, but she has a world of experience. She has been making appearances on the stage since she was six, and had private teachers before she went to the University of Minnesota and took her B. A. in speech. Then she did professional radio work, acting, writing and directing, in Minneapolis, and later had dramatic schools in Tyler, Texas, Kilgore and Quitman, Texas, and Magnolia, Arkansas. She also directed the Tyler Children's Theatre and the summer theatre for children, the Summer Playhouse, in Kent, Conn. Her role is that of Gert Grace, a musical comedy comedienne.

Dorothy Morrow is the wife of the leading man of the last play, and holding up the family reputation. From Columbus, Mississippi, she met Chuck when he was stationed at the Columbus Army Air Base, and has lived in Monroe for the past two years. She appeared in high school plays. She will play Alice Raymond, the missing witness.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Templeton, Route 6, Eldorado, Arkansas, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Jo Templeton to Mr. Marshal G. Compton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mose P. Compton, Farmerville, Louisiana, on March 24, at 9:00 p. m. in the home of Miss Margaret Nell Compton, 603 Arkansas Avenue, Monroe, Louisiana.

The bride wore a lovely light gray suit with black accessories and a beautiful corsage of pink carnations.

Miss Sybil Smith, Eldorado, Arkansas, was in attendance as maid of honor, dressed in a lovely black suit with green assessories and corsage of white carnations. Bridesmaids were Miss Betty Brooks, also of Eldorado, dressed in a beautiful green suit with brown accessories and corsage of white carnations; and Miss Margaret Nell Compton, sister of the groom, dressed in a lovely pink and black dress with black accessories and a corsage of pale pink carnations.

Mr. John Lee Williams, Farmerville, Louisiana, served as best man with Mr. Jiles Christian, also of Farmerville, as usher.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ernest Holloway, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Monroe, Louisiana.

Reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the home of Miss Margaret Nell Compton.

The bride and groom will spend a short honeymoon in Alexandria, Louisiana. They will make their home in Monroe, Louisiana.

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The agate once was believed to be a good antidote for poisons merely if worn on the person.

STAR OF 'MISSING WITNESS'

Mrs. Joe Gimler has been cast in the leading feminine role of the Little Theatre play, "The Missing Witness" to be presented at the courthouse, March 30 and 31.

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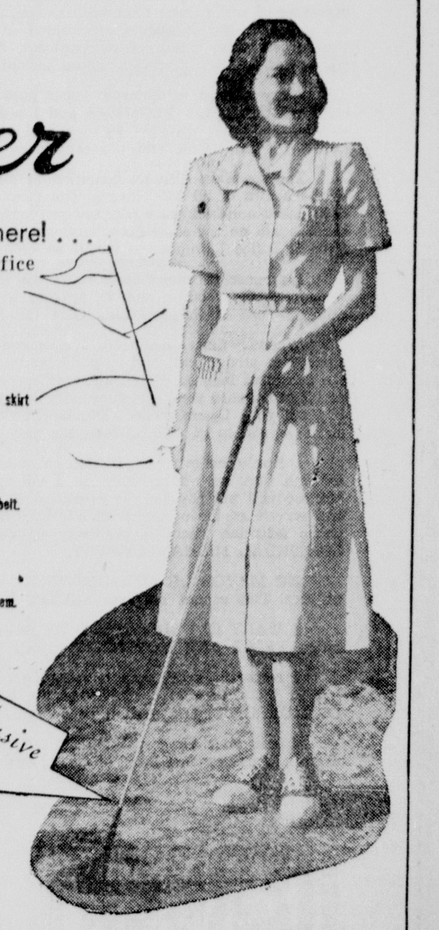

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MISS JEAN CARROLL HONORED WITH TWO LUNCHEON PARTIES

Two last minute courtesies extended Miss Jean Carroll before her wedding on Saturday included a luncheon at the Rendezvous with Miss Martha Roddy and Mrs. Albert Clary, hostesses.

Purple iris and pink perfection camellias were used in lovely color combination for the table decor. Miniature green china shoes filled with violets were attached to the place cards.

Miss Carroll wore a candy striped, yellow, green and pink model with black accessories. Her corsage was of purple stock.

A gift of silver was presented by her hostess.

The guests were: Miss Evelyn Middleton, Mrs. C. C. Locke, Jr., Mrs. Robert Hair, Mrs. John H. Duchkar, Mrs. Leroy Anspach, Mrs. O. C. Roddey, Mrs. John N. Carroll, Miss Carroll and the hostesses.

Luncheon At La Casa

Mrs. Robert Hair and Mrs. Monroe King were hostesses at a lunchein for Miss Carroll at the La Casa.

Yellow and pink daisies, tulips and hyacinths were arranged in a crystal basket for centerpiece. Yellow satin ribbons curved gracefully down the center of the table. Silver compotes at each end of the table held yellow and pink mints.

Miss Carroll wore navy blue gabardine suit, rose felt sailor hat, and blue accessories. Her corsage was pink roses.

A gift of sterling silver was presented by her hostesses.

The guests were: Miss Carroll, Mrs. George Temple, Mrs. Charles Snyder, Jr., Mrs. Leroy Anspach, Mrs. A. C. Ransom, Mrs. Victor Gordy, Mrs. O. C. Reynolds, Mrs. John H. Duchkar, Mrs. C. C. Locke, Jr., Mrs. David King, Miss Evelyn Middleton, Mrs. John Carroll.

Churches

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ship and praise the name of the Lord. At the 11 o'clock service, the pastor will preach on the subject, "Christ's Easter Message." At the evening service, the message will be: "Can We Know That We Shall Live Again."

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship at 11 a.m.
Young People's meeting at 6:30 p.m.
Evening worship at 7:30 p.m.
Bible study and prayer at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
Northeast Junior College Auditorium
Pastor: George Pearce, Jr.

5:45 a. m., Sunrise service, Memorial Park Cemetery; 9:45 a. m. Sunday school classes for all. Devotional by the Men's class. 11:00 a. m. Resurrection Day service; baptism of infants. 6:15 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship, church office, 401 Sherrouse. 6:45 p. m., Junior choir. 7:30 p. m., Cantata by Senior choir, "The First Easter," directed by Mr. Harvey Nelson; pianist, Mrs. Nelson.

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson At Wood Street
Rev. A. M. Sercy, Ph. D. Pastor
Miss Lea Joyner, Asst. To The Pastor

The First Methodist Church cordially invites you to attend its Easter services scheduled here:

8:00 a. m. Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m. Sunday school.
9:30 and 10:45 a. m. Morning worship (these two services will be identical).
4:00 p. m. Christening service for small children.
5:00 p. m. Junior Fellowship.
5:30 p. m. Youth recreation.
6:30 p. m. Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p. m. Cantata, "The Dawn of the Kingdom."

The topic of the pastor's sermon will be: "The Easter Faith."

The cantata to be given at the evening service has been prepared by the choir with Mrs. Estelle Schulze Sanders directing.

Calendar of events for the First Methodist church during the week:

Tuesday, 2:00 p. m. W. S. C. S. zone meeting at the First Methodist Church in West Monroe.

Wednesday, 6:30 p. m. Workers' conference supper meeting.

Friday, 6:30 p. m. Monthly supper meeting of the Methodist Men.

(A nursery for small children is maintained in the church annex during the morning worship at 10:45 o'clock.)

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
W. H. Carroll, Pastor
A. N. Talley, Church School Supt.

The Gordon Avenue Methodist Church gives you a special invitation to come and worship with us.

Sunday March 28:
Church school, 9:45.
Morning worship, 11:00.
Youth Fellowship, 6:30.
Evening worship, 7:30.
Wednesday, March 31: Prayer service and choir rehearsal at the church beginning at 7:30.

A nursery is maintained in the church annex during the morning worship service.

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
I. L. Yeager, Pastor
M. B. Hearne, Sunday School Supt.

"Why seek ye the living among the dead? He is not here, but is risen." —Luke 24:5:6.

"Easter is a great deliverance. It is a victory for all of God's people."

The season's greetings to all. We cordially invite you who do not worship regularly elsewhere, to attend the services of the day, beginning with Sunday School at 9:45 a.m., promptly. Morning worship at 10:50. Youth meetings at 6:45 p.m. Evening service at 7:30. At this hour, the choir will render a cantata, in story and song, entitled: "The Prince of Peace." You are especially, invited to hear this. Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30. Mrs. Alma Cowan, is to direct the service. Choir rehearsal Thursday at 7:30 p.m., directed by Grady Hall.

The W. S. C. S. will attend a zone meeting at First Church, West Monroe, at 2:00 p.m.

We are happy to announce the entire completion of the church and educational building. There is ample accommodation for the worshippers in every department. Again, we invite you to worship with us.

Baptism of infants and children will be celebrated at the morning service. Parents who have not had their children baptized, are invited to be present, for this special sacrament.

CENTRAL ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Corner Hall And Calypso
L. O. Waldon, Pastor
D. E. Stroud, Associate Pastor

A special program depicting the ressurection will be given at the morning service. The service has been planned and arranged by Mrs. I. O. Waldon, who shall present the portrayal. The pastor will speak on "A Godly Easter."

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m., H. W. Holdiness, superintendent. Morning worship at 11:00 o'clock. Christ's Ambassadors meet at 6:45 p.m., Miss Lucille Morrison, president. Evening evangelistic service at 7:30 p.m.

FIRST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Wheelis Street And Jonesboro Road
West Monroe
E. W. Caughran, Pastor

Easter Sunday will be a great day in our church as we pay tribute to the Risen Christ. We will be in an all-day service. We will begin the day with a sunrise service at the church at 6:00 a.m. At 10:00 a.m. we will be in Sunday School as usual and expect the greatest Sabath worship we have had. At 11:00 a.m. Rev. Caughran will deliver the Easter message. After Sunday School the children will be entertained with an egg hunt. After the egg hunt lunch will be served. The afternoon will be spent in Communion service and worship. At 6:00 p.m. the Conquerers class will meet and a special program will be given by the young people. Regular service will begin at 7:15 p.m. Sister Caughran will bring a special Easter message. If you want to enjoy this special day you are welcome to be with us.

THE CLAIBORNE METHODIST CHURCH
Calhoun Road
F. L. Hearne, Pastor
J. O. Fleming, Church School Supt.

"Oh, glorious morn when Life was born,
Out of death and the Grave!
When Christ arose, and foiled his foes,
And proved His might to save.
The deathless one revokes death's stern decree,
That we in Him through faith may deathless be."
—Selected.

The people of the Claiborne Methodist Church invite you to worship with us this Easter Sunday. All services will be held in the new church.

Services begin with the Sunrise Service (6:00 o'clock).
Church School at 9:45.
Morning worship service at 10:50.
Evening service youth fellowship at 6:45.
Worship service at 7:30
W. S. C. S. meets Monday at 3:00 p.m.
Mid-week services Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

"You are always welcome at Claiborne."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Disciples Of Christ)
St. John And Oak Streets
R. T. Watson, Minister
E. M. Wooten, Choir Director
Miss Patricia Padgett, Pianist
J. M. Smith, Church School Supt.

We cooperate in the Union Sun Rise service at 5:45 a. m. in Memorial Park cemetery.

Church school at 9:45 a. m. The offering will be used for mission work in this area. Attendance goals have been set by each department, and it is hoped that we shall have a record attendance.

Worship at 10:50 a. m. The Monroe Commandery of the Knights Templar will be our guests at this service. The sermon theme: "Easter is the Answer." The choir will sing Roger C. Wilson's "Early to the Garden."

Christian Youth Fellowship at 5:30 p. m.

Evening service at 7:30. There will be several solos by Mrs. Alex Winn and Mr. E. M. Wooten. Christian baptism will be administered. The brief message will be entitled: "Easter Evidences."

We cordially invite you to all services.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
224 Auburn Avenue

"Reality" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist. Sunday, March 28, 1948.

The Golden Text is: "Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty; for all that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine; thine is the kingdom, O Lord, and thou art exalted as head above all" (I Chron. 29:11).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Thus saith the Lord, learn not the way of the heathen, and be not dismayed at the signs of heaven" (Jer. 10:2).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "So-called material existence affords no evidence of spiritual existence and immortality" (p. 356).

Listen to a fifteen-minute radio broadcast Sunday at 9:30 a.m. over radio station KNOE.

Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.
Sunday service at 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday service at 8:00 p.m.
Reading room, 814 Bernhardt Bldg., open daily from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., except Sundays and national holidays.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont At Catalpa
Ernest D. Holloway, Pastor

The elders will assemble at the close of all services of worship, and at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, sessional room, to receive church members. If it is your purpose to unite with the church during this Easter season, you will please meet with the session at the hours indicated.

Two hours of worship will be observed during the morning, 8:30 and 11:00 o'clock. This is done that all worshippers may have seats. The worship programs will be the same. The subject of the message is "Life Triumphs Over Death."

The evening hour of worship is 7:30. "Some Problems Connected With Petition" is the theme.

The youth of the church assemble for their programs at 6:30 o'clock p.m.

The minister will be most happy to consecrate to the Lord in Baptism such children as are presented. The hour of the baptismal service is 4:00 in the afternoon.

A hearty welcome awaits you at all hours of worship.

CHURCH OF GOD
Cypress Street, West Monroe
J. C. Grubbs, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.
Worship at 10:50 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Youth Fellowship at 6:45 p.m.
Prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

A cordial welcome to all.

ST. MATTHEW'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Corner Jackson and Grammont
Msgr. J. C. Marsh, Pastor

Sunday masses at 6:30, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00 and 11:00.

Weekday masses at 6:30, 7:00 and 8:00.

Baptisms Sunday afternoon at 4:00 p. m.

Sunday school for children who do not attend Parochial School each Sunday immediately following the 8:00 o'clock mass.

Guardian Angel Sunday school each Sunday during the 10:00 o'clock mass for children from 3 to 5 years of age.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament Sunday night at 7:30 followed by a Novena to St. Anne.

The 11:00 o'clock mass Easter Sunday will be broadcast over KMLB. The devotional period from 4:00 to 4:15 p. m. will be conducted from Monday through Friday by the Catholic priests.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Harrison And D'Arbonne
Two Blocks South Of N. J. C.
Rev. N. Widiger, Pastor

On Easter morning services of adoration and praise will begin at 10:45. The subject of the pastor's sermon will be "The Glad Joy of Eastern Morn."

Sunday school and Bible class will observe this day by studying the glorious story of the resurrection and its meaning for our time and eternity. Classes will begin at 9:30 under the direction of Mr. H. Huebner.

Voters assembly will meet Monday evening at 7:30.

Church planning council will hold its meeting at the church Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The Lutheran hour may be heard over KNOE each Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

Trinity Lutheran Church wishes all of you the blessed joy that comes through faith in a Savior who died that we might live and who rose again that we might be with Him to all eternity.

MRS. J. F. WILLIAMS

Mrs. Julius Frederick Williams, the former Miss Margaret Lois McIntyre, daughter of Mrs. Sadie M. McIntyre and the late Daniel C. McIntyre, of this city, whose marriage took place in Shreveport.

CUT WEDDING CAKE

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Mimms, Jr., bride and groom of recent date, cut their wedding cake at the reception following the ceremony. Mrs. Mimms is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Williams of this city, and Mr. Mimms is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mimms of Dallas.

P.-T. A. ROUNDS OUT 25 YEARS

Silver Jubilee Is Planned At Lafayette April 15-17

Celebrating a quarter century of work, the Louisiana Parent-Teacher Association will hold its silver jubilee convention in Lafayette, April 15-17, with headquarters at the Evangeline hotel.

Dedicated to "Democracy Activated by Parents and Teachers," the program will comprise general meetings, group conferences, and a workshop on parent-teacher procedures. All meetings with the exception of board sessions are scheduled at Southwestern Louisiana Institute in response to President Joel Fletcher's invitation.

Registration and a pre-convention board meeting are planned for Thursday, April 15 at the Evangeline hotel. Delegates will convene in general session at 1:30 p. m. with Mrs. W. S. Vincent of Monroe, state president, in charge. Miss Mary Titus, special assistant, Federal Relations Division, N. E. A., will discuss "Democracy Through Federal Aid to Education."

Thursday night's program will feature talks by Edgar J. Davis, instructor in government at Louisiana State University, and DeVan Daggett of Baton Rouge, state legislative chairman of the Louisiana Parent-Teacher Association.

From the National Congress will come Dr. Frank H. Ojemann, professor of psychology at Iowa State University. He will address the convention in "Developing Democracy in Family Life," at Friday morning's convocation. He also is to be the speaker at the jubilee banquet that night when he will discuss "Education, an Essential Process in a Democracy."

Friday's program includes two special conferences and a workshop on parent-teacher procedures. Miss Cavo Lane, state department of education, Baton Rouge, will direct the meeting devoted to health and safety, and Miss Virginia Hower, demonstration department, Rapides parish, will direct the conference pertaining to buying habits of consumers. Participating in this phase of the meeting will be Miss Marie Caillet and Miss Faenelia Hicks, both of the home economics department of Southwestern.

The workshop under direction of Mrs. J. H. Stringer of Baton Rouge will consider three factors: Organization and development of study groups for parents and teachers; publicity for local organizations; Parent-Teacher organization and procedures.

As a special feature, the convention chairman, Mrs. P. C. Juneau of Lafayette, has planned a tour of St. Martinsville, deep in the heart of the Evangeline country. Delegates will have opportunity to visit the Longfellow Memorial Park in which stands the Gabriel House, now a museum, the Evangeline Oak, the historic Catholic church, and the tomb of Evangeline in the adjoining churchyard. Urging members throughout the state to attend the silver anniversary convention, Mrs. Juneau has assured them a welcome in the grand old southern manner."

A business session and installation of state officers make up the agenda for Saturday morning, last day of conference activities.

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OUACHITA PARISH CHAPTER AMERICAN RED CROSS
1948 FUND RESULTS

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Residential, West Monroe	Mrs. C. E. Faulk	1,035.00
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Business, South	B. B. Martin	1,387.00
Special Groups	James Trousdale	1,752.00
West Monroe	Charlie Wall	710.00
Rural	Bailey Grant	477.00
Negro	A. H. Bowie	2,285.00
CHAPTER GOAL		$42,000.00
AMOUNT REPORTED		32,435.00
AMOUNT NEEDED		9,565.00

LISTING GIFTS TO RED CROSS

The Ouachita parish chapter's drive for funds for Red Cross has now reported receipts of $37,435. There is now needed to make the goal, $9,565.

Acknowledged donations are given additionally as follows:

Hudson-Lechy Post 3993, Veterans of Foreign Wars, $10; Louisiana Power and Light, West Monroe, $35; Jackson Hardware, $2; Fisher Bakery, $10; West Monroe Curb Market, $1; West Monroe Confectionery, $5; Quality Printing Co., $5; Farmers Feed & Seed, $5; Colbert Hardware, $7.50; Smiths Curb Market, 50c; Dixie Tourist Court, $1; Cannon's Package Store, $2; Simonton Grain Company, $25; Simonton Grain Company employes—A. B. Gee, $1.25; E. L. Rawls, $1.25; A. H. Eaves, $1; Thelma Buce, $1; West Monroe Washateria, $1; J. L. Aldrich Plumbing, $5; Stewart's Grocery, $2; Stag Shop, $5; Norris Department Store, Inc., $5; Kennedy Bennett, $25; Kennedy Bennett employes, $12; Lee's Jewelry, $5; Roylca's Shoe Shop, $3.50; Dr. J. W. Gilliland, $1; Hayes Dress Shop, $1; Erwin & Wall Ins. Agency, $10; Winnie Silmon Beauty Shop, 25c; Chandlers Shoe Store, $4; Morgan & Lindsey, $25.

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Twin City Printing Company, $50; Twin City Printing Company employes—Milton W. Ford, $3; R. L. Ross, Jr., $2; William L. Rothermel, $1; Milton Ford, $5; Henry G. Laffler, $1; Edward L. Ikerd, Jr., $1; A. L. Moses, $1; Robert B. Hale, $1; Henry C. Blazier, $1; Julian Windham, $1; John R. Vines, $1; Robert W. Irby, $1; Eva Lee Miller, $1; Gloria McCartney, $1; Donald Elliott, $1; Jeff Harris, $1; Dunham Pugh Company, Inc., employes—C. K. McClure, $10; W. E. Rambin, $1; W. H. Goddard, $1; L. A. Worley, $1; C. D. Hickey, $1; W. R. Mellor, $1; E. A. McNabb, $1; C. E. Barton, $1; Weaks Supply Co., $175; Weaks Supply Company employes—W. M. Washburn, $10; H. Chapman, $5; O. L. McCleary, $5; J. E. Nelson, $2.50; Mrs. Louise Johnson, $1; Julius McKnight, $1; Lee Roy Avery, $1; Rosemary Coleman, $1; Charles Bailey, $1; Mrs. Judy Caraway, $1.

Cecil Peters, $1; Robert Gregory, $1; W. W. Rainbolt, $1; Theresa Thomisee, $1; Marjorie Ewing, $1; Kathleen Simrall, $1; Tom Humble, $5; M. C. Wade, $5; Mrs. Lillie Mae Carroll, $1; C. L. Springfield, $1; W. R. Crow, $5; H. H. Reardon, $100; Southern Carbon Co., $275; Southern Carbon Company employes—Willis H. Anders, $1; F. L. Jones, $1; William N. Pope, $2; Doris E. Roe, $1; Katie E. Strother, $1; Charlene B. Lane, $1; Sara E. Guy, $1; Elvin T. Kilpatrick, $1; Sylvia F. Hearne, $1; A. D. Williams, Jr., $1; Earl Mulhern, $1; John H. Browne, Jr., $1; Elizabeth Ann Thomas, $1; D. L. O. Puckett, $1; Virginia Scheen, $1; Vera L. Petty, $2; M. F. Lichtenfels, $20; Turpin Lumber & Supply Co., $25; Dr. G. M. Snellings, $25; Dr. A. G. McHenry, $25; Dr. A. G. McHenry's employes, $3; Krogmire Tailor, $2; Ouachita Furniture Co., $5; Ouachita Furniture Co. employe, W. C. Ford, $1; Louisiana Hotel, $15; Holloway's Pharmacy, $10; Welcome Branch Book Club, $5.

ORPHANAGE DAY BEING OBSERVED

All Methodist Churches Will Take Offerings For Ruston Home

"Orphanage Day" will be observed in all Methodist churches in Louisiana today. The only Louisiana institution operated by this denomination is in Ruston and is doing a valuable work for children who otherwise would be homeless, state those in charge.

Many young men and women in varied walks of life are holding positions of trust and are making valuable contributions to their communities who received their education and the shaping of their lives in the Ruston institution. Many of these have received a college education which is made possible as Louisiana Tech is located also in Ruston.

The needs of the orphanage are supplied by donations state-wide on two days in the year, Easter and Harvest Day in the fall. As living costs are mounting, it is desired that the gifts that will be taken up in all Methodist churches today be larger than a year ago to meet current requirements.

GRACE CHURCH IS TO FEATURE MUSIC

At Grace Episcopal Church the choral Eucharist and sermon will be given at 11 a.m.

The augmented choir will render the musical parts of Mozart's 12th mass and the offertory anthem will be Schilling's "Christ Our Passover."

Miss Gertrude Sandrock will sing the solo parts.

The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

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A STATEMENT TO THE PEOPLE OF MONROE

I have asked the Citizens of Monroe to elect me to the office of Commissioner of Finance and Public Utilities on my own volition and I represent no special group but hope to be elected as the representative of all the people solely FOR THE GOOD OF MONROE. This has been my home practically all of my life and will live here until I die.

I seek this office only on my qualifications. My schooling was in Mechanical and Chemical Engineering and I have had many years of experience in the design, construction and operation of Plants and Factories.

I am thoroughly acquainted with, and experienced, in the design, construction and operation of every piece of machinery and equipment in our power and water plant. There can never be any substitute for trained engineering knowledge, experience and ability for the successful operation of our utilities. Surely our experience for the past years with our power and water service should instantly convince anyone of this fact.

Every Citizen of Monroe wants pure soft drinking and boiler water and for years we have been given PROMISES and more PROMISES but NO WATER. I am going to correct this water situation as soon as I take office for the simple reason that I have the desire, the know-how and the experience necessary to do the job.

The sewerage disposal condition of Monroe is a civic disgrace and a constant menace to the health of all the citizens. The people have already voted the money and bids have been asked and bids were received at prices that were all out of reason. Bids are now being asked again on the same plans and we are going to receive the same bids or higher. When I am in office I propose to install an economical disposal system.

I propose to immediately route the Bus Lines to serve every section of the City on a dependable schedule and to provide waiting stations to keep the school children and other patrons of the Bus Line OUT OF RAIN AND INCLEMENT WEATHER.

When I first announced, I proposed to have an Advisory Board of representative citizens to advise with and help me in the operation of our utilities. I firmly believe that the people of Monroe should know of every phase of the operation of THEIR PROPERTIES, and I can assure you now there will be no dealings under the table or behind closed doors if I am your Commissioner. You map be further assured that POLITICS IS GOING OUT of the operation of your utilities the very minute I take office.

I firmly believe that if Monroe should ever lose the Utilities, our taxes would rise so high that we would revert to a village status. The taxes collected on all property in Monroe will not pay for the operation of our Police and Fire Departments. Every activity and service of the operation of our City depends solely on the earnings of our power and water facilities. There is positively no danger of our losing these utilities EXCEPT BY CONTINUAL MISMANAGEMENT.

NO MAYOR OR COMMISSIONER has any legal power to sell, lease or transfer our utilities. This cannot be done EXCEPT BY A VOTE OF THE PEOPLE.

I WANT IT UNDERSTOOD BY ALL that I will now, or in the future, in or out of office, FIGHT ANY MOVEMENT to sell or lease our utilities.

I respectfully ask your cooperation and support not only in my election to this office but in the successful operation of the Utilities. They BELONG TO YOU, THE PEOPLE OF MONROE, and they shall be operated by me on that basis.

I ask your support SOLELY ON MY QUALIFICATIONS based on long years of engineering experience since all of the operations of our utilities are engineering problems.

Sincerely,

HERBERT E. DICKARD

(Paid Political Advertisement)

Announcement

After 23 years, fitting women's and children's shoes at The Palace—I am now connected with—

Ruth Kelso Children's Shop

and will carry children's shoes to size 3. We will also carry boys' clothing to 14-year size and I will assist in fitting and selling in this department.

JOHN F. KELSO

MISS JEAN CARROLL HONORED WITH TWO LUNCHEON PARTIES

Two last minute courtesies extended Miss Jean Carroll before her wedding on Saturday included a luncheon at the Rendezvous with Miss Martha Roddy and Mrs. Albert Clary, hostesses.

Purple iris and pink perfection camellias were used in lovely color combination for the table decor. Miniature green china shoes filled with violets were attached to the place cards.

Miss Carroll wore a candy striped, yellow, green and pink model with black accessories. Her corsage was of purple stock.

A gift of silver was presented by her hostess.

The guests were: Miss Evelyn Middleton, Mrs. C. C. Locke, Jr., Mrs. Robert Hair, Mrs. John H. Duchkar, Mrs. Leroy Anspach, Mrs. O. C. Roddey, Mrs. John N. Carroll, Miss Carroll and the hostesses.

Luncheon At La Casa

Mrs. Robert Hair and Mrs. Monroe King were hostesses at a luncheon for Miss Carroll at the La Casa.

Yellow and pink daisies, tulips and hyacinths were arranged in a crystal basket for centerpiece. Yellow satin ribbons curved gracefully down the center of the table. Silver compotes at each end of the table held yellow and pink mints.

Miss Carroll wore navy blue gabardine suit, rose felt sailor hat, and blue accessories. Her corsage was pink roses.

A gift of sterling silver was presented by her hostesses.

The guests were: Miss Carroll, Mrs. George Temple, Mrs. Charles Snyder, Jr., Mrs. Leroy Anspach, Mrs. A. C. Ransom, Mrs. Victor Gordy, Mrs. O. C. Reynolds, Mrs. John H. Duchkar, Mrs. C. C. Locke, Jr., Mrs. David King, Miss Evelyn Middleton, Mrs. John Carroll.

MRS. J. F. WILLIAMS

Mrs. Julius Frederick Williams, the former Miss Margaret Lois McIntyre, daughter of Mrs. Sadie M. McIntyre and the late Daniel C. McIntyre, of this city, whose marriage took place in Shreveport.

Churches

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ship and praise the name of the Lord. At the 11 o'clock service, the pastor will preach on the subject, "Christ's Easter Message." At the evening service, the message will be: "Can We Know That We Shall Live Again."

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship at 11 a.m.
Young People's meeting at 6:30 p.m.
Evening worship at 7:30 p.m.
Bible study and prayer at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
Northeast Junior College Auditorium
Pastor: George Pearce, Jr.

5:45 a. m., Sunrise service, Memorial Park Cemetery; 9:45 a. m. Sunday school classes for all. Devotional by the Men's class. 11:00 a. m. Resurrection Day service; baptism of infants. 6:15 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship, church office, 401 Sherrouse. 6:45 p. m., Junior choir. 7:30 p. m., Cantata by Senior choir, "The First Easter," directed by Mr. Harvey Nelson; pianist, Mrs. Nelson.

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson At Wood Street
Rev. A. M. Serex, Ph. D. Pastor
Miss Lea Joyner, Asst. To The Pastor

The First Methodist Church cordially invites you to attend its Easter services scheduled here:

8:00 a. m. Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m. Sunday school.
9:30 and 10:45 a. m. Morning worship (these two services will be identical).
4:00 p. m. Christening service for small children.
5:00 p. m. Junior Fellowship.
5:30 p. m. Youth recreation.
6:30 p. m. Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p. m. Cantata, "The Dawn of the Kingdom."

The topic of the pastor's sermon will be: "The Easter Faith."

The cantata to be given at the evening service has been prepared by the choir with Mrs. Estelle Schulze Sanders directing.

Calendar of events for the First Methodist church during the week:

Tuesday, 2:00 p. m. W. S. C. S. zone meeting at the First Methodist Church in West Monroe.

Wednesday, 6:30 p. m. Workers' conference supper meeting.

Friday, 6:30 p. m. Monthly supper meeting of the Methodist Men.

(A nursery for small children is maintained in the church annex during the morning worship at 10:45 o'clock.)

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
W. H. Carroll, Pastor
A. N. Talley, Church School Supt.

The Gordon Avenue Methodist Church gives you a special invitation to come and worship with us.

Sunday March 28:
Church school, 9:45.
Morning worship, 11:00.
Youth Fellowship, 6:30.
Evening worship, 7:30.
Wednesday, March 31: Prayer service and choir rehearsal at the church beginning at 7:30.

A nursery is maintained in the church annex during the morning worship service.

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
I. L. Yeager, Pastor
M. B. Hearne, Sunday School Supt.

"Why seek ye the living among the dead? He is not here, but is risen." —Luke 24:5:6.

"Easter is a great deliverance. It is a victory for all of God's people."

The season's greetings to all. We cordially invite you who do not worship regularly elsewhere, to attend the services of the day, beginning with Sunday School at 9:45 a.m., promptly. Morning worship at 10:50. Youth meetings at 6:45 p.m. Evening service at 7:30. At this hour, the choir will render a cantata, in story and song, entitled: "The Prince of Peace." You are especially, invited to hear this. Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30. Mrs. Alma Cowan, is to direct the service. Choir rehearsal Thursday at 7:30 p.m., directed by Grady Hall.

The W. S. C. S. will attend a zone meeting at First Church, West Monroe, at 2:00 p.m.

We are happy to announce the entire completion of the church and educational building. There is ample accommodation for the worshippers in every department. Again, we invite you to worship with us.

Baptism of infants and children will be celebrated at the morning service. Parents who have not had their children baptized, are invited to be present, for this special sacrament.

CENTRAL ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Corner Hall And Calypso
L. O. Waldon, Pastor
D. E. Stroud, Associate Pastor

A special program depicting the resurection will be given at the morning service. The service has been planned and arranged by Mrs. I. O. Waldon, who shall present the portrayal. The pastor will speak on "A Godly Easter."

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m., H. W. Holdiness, superintendent. Morning worship at 11:00 o'clock. Christ's Ambassadors meet at 6:45 p.m., Miss Lucille Morrison, president. Evening evangelistic service at 7:30 p.m.

FIRST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Wheelis Street And Jonesboro Road
West Monroe
E. W. Caughran, Pastor

Easter Sunday will be a great day in our church as we pay tribute to the Risen Christ. We will be in an all-day service. We will begin the day with a sunrise service at the church at 6:00 a.m. At 10:00 a.m. we will be in Sunday School as usual and expect the greatest Sabath worship we have had. At 11:00 a.m. Rev. Caughran will deliver the Easter message. After Sunday School the children will be entertained with an egg hunt. After the egg hunt lunch will be served. The afternoon will be spent in Communion service and worship. At 6:00 p.m. the Conquerers class will meet and a special program will be given by the young people. Regular service will begin at 7:15 p.m. Sister Caughran will bring a special Easter message. If you want to enjoy this special day you are welcome to be with us.

THE CLAIBORNE METHODIST CHURCH
Calhoun Road
F. L. Hearne, Pastor
J. O. Fleming, Church School Supt.

"Oh, glorious morn when Life was born,
Out of death and the Grave!
When Christ arose, and foiled his foes,
And proved His might to save.
The deathless one revokes death's stern decree,
That we in Him through faith may deathless be."

—Selected.

The people of the Claiborne Methodist Church invite you to worship with us this Easter Sunday. All services will be held in the new church.

Services begin with the Sunrise Service (6:00 o'clock).

Church School at 9:45.
Morning worship service at 10:50.
Evening service youth fellowship at 6:45.
Worship service at 7:30
W. S. C. S. meets Monday at 3:00 p.m.
Mid-week services Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

"You are always welcome at Claiborne."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Disciples Of Christ)
St. John And Oak Streets
R. T. Watson, Minister
E. M. Wooten, Choir Director
Miss Patricia Padgett, Pianist
J. M. Smith, Church School Supt.

We cooperate in the Union Sun Rise service at 5:45 a. m. in Memorial Park cemetery.

Church school at 9:45 a. m. The offering will be used for mission work in this area. Attendance goals have been set by each department, and it is hoped that we shall have a record attendance.

Worship at 10:50 a. m. The Monroe Commandery of the Knights Templar will be our guests at this service. The sermon theme: "Easter is the Answer." The choir will sing Roger C. Wilson's "Early to the Garden."

Christian Youth Fellowship at 5:30 p. m.

Evening service at 7:30. There will be several solos by Mrs. Alex Winn and Mr. E. M. Wooten. Christian baptism will be administered. The brief message will be entitled: "Easter Evidences."

We cordially invite you to all services.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
224 Auburn Avenue

"Realty" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, March 28, 1948.

The Golden Text is: "Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty; for all that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine; thine is the kingdom, O Lord, and thou art exalted as head above all" (I Chron. 29:11).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Thus saith the Lord, learn not the way of the heathen, and be not dismayed at the signs of heaven" (Jer. 10:2).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "So-called material existence affords no evidence of spiritual existence and immortality" (p. 356).

Listen to a fifteen-minute radio broadcast Sunday at 9:30 a.m. over radio station KNOE.

Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.
Sunday service at 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday service at 8:00 p.m.
Reading room, 814 Bernhardt Bldg., open daily from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., except Sundays and national holidays.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont At Catalpa
Ernest D. Holloway, Pastor

The elders will assemble at the close of all services of worship, and at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, sessional room, to receive church members. If it is your purpose to unite with the church during this Easter season, you will please meet with the session at the hours indicated.

Two hours of worship will be observed during the morning, 8:30 and 11:00 o'clock. This is done that all worshippers may have seats. The worship programs will be the same. The subject of the message is "Life Triumphs Over Death."

The evening hour of worship is 7:30. "Some Problems Connected With Petition" is the theme.

The youth of the church assemble for their programs at 6:30 o'clock p.m.

The minister will be most happy to consecrate to the Lord in Baptism such children as are presented. The hour of the baptismal service is 4:00 in the afternoon.

A hearty welcome awaits you at all hours of worship.

CHURCH OF GOD
Cypress Street, West Monroe
J. C. Grubbs, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.
Worship at 10:50 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Youth Fellowship at 6:45 p.m.
Prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

A cordial welcome to all.

ST. MATTHEW'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Corner Jackson and Grammont
Msgr. J. C. Marsh, Pastor

Sunday masses at 6:30, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00 and 11:00.

Weekday masses at 6:30, 7:00 and 8:00.

Baptisms Sunday afternoon at 4:00 p. m.

Sunday school for children who do not attend Parochial School each Sunday immediately following the 8:00 o'clock mass.

Guardian Angel Sunday school each Sunday during the 10:00 o'clock mass for children from 3 to 5 years of age.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament Sunday night at 7:30 followed by a Novena to St. Anne.

The 11:00 o'clock mass Easter Sunday will be broadcast over KMLB. The devotional period from 4:00 to 4:15 p. m. will be conducted from Monday through Friday by the Catholic priests.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Harrison And D'Arbonne
Two Blocks South Of N. J. C.
Rev. N. Widiger, Pastor

On Easter morning services of adoration and praise will begin at 10:45. The subject of the pastor's sermon will be "The Glad Joy of Eastern Morn."

Sunday school and Bible class will observe this day by studying the glorious story of the resurrection and its meaning for our time and eternity. Classes will begin at 9:30 under the direction of Mr. H. Huebner.

Voters assembly will meet Monday evening at 7:30.

Church planning council will hold its meeting at the church Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The Lutheran hour may be heard over KNOE each Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

Trinity Lutheran Church wishes all of you the blessed joy that comes through faith in a Savior who died that we might live and who rose again that we might be with Him to all eternity.

P.-T. A. ROUNDS OUT 25 YEARS

Silver Jubilee Is Planned At Lafayette April 15-17

Celebrating a quarter century of work, the Louisiana Parent-Teacher Association will hold its silver jubilee convention in Lafayette, April 15-17, with headquarters at the Evangeline hotel.

Dedicated to "Democracy Activated by Parents and Teachers," the program will comprise general meetings, group conferences, and a workshop on parent-teacher procedures. All meetings with the exception of board sessions are scheduled at Southwestern Louisiana Institute in response to President Joel Fletcher's invitation.

Registration and a pre-convention board meeting are planned for Thursday, April 15 at the Evangeline hotel. Delegates will convene in general session at 1:30 p. m. with Mrs. W. S. Vincent of Monroe, state president, in charge. Miss Mary Titus, special assistant, Federal Relations Division, N. E. A., will discuss "Democracy Through Federal Aid to Education."

Thursday night's program will feature talks by Edgar J. Davis, instructor in government at Louisiana State University, and DeVan Daggett of Baton Rouge, state legislative chairman of the Louisiana Parent-Teacher Association.

From the National Congress will come Dr. Frank H. Ojemann, professor of psychology at Iowa State University. He will address the convention in "Developing Democracy in Family Life," at Friday morning's convocation. He also is to be the speaker at the jubilee banquet that night when he will discuss "Education, an Essential Process in a Democracy."

Friday's program includes two special conferences and a workshop on parent-teacher procedures. Miss Caro Lane, state department of education, Baton Rouge, will direct the meeting devoted to health and safety, and Miss Virginia Hower, demonstration department, Rapides parish, will direct the conference pertaining to buying habits of consumers. Participating in this phase of the meeting will be Miss Marie Caillet and Miss Faenelia Hicks, both of the home economics department of Southwestern.

The workshop under direction of Mrs. J. H. Stringer of Baton Rouge will consider three factors: Organization and development of study groups for parents and teachers; publicity for local organizations; Parent-Teacher organization and procedures.

As a special feature, the convention chairman, Mrs. P. C. Juneau of Lafayette, has planned a tour of St. Martinsville, deep in the heart of the Evangeline country. Delegates will have opportunity to visit the Longfellow Memorial Park in which stands the Gabriel House, now a museum, the Evangeline Oak, the historic Catholic church, and the tomb of Evangeline in the adjoining churchyard. Urging members throughout the state to attend the silver anniversary convention, Mrs. Juneau has assured them a welcome in the grand old southern manner."

A business session and installation of state officers make up the agenda for Saturday morning, last day of conference activities.

Railway postal car service in the U. S. began in 1864.

CUT WEDDING CAKE

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Mimms, Jr., bride and groom of recent date, cut their wedding cake at the reception following the ceremony. Mrs. Mimms is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Williams of this city, and Mr. Mimms is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mimms of Dallas.

OUACHITA PARISH CHAPTER AMERICAN RED CROSS
1948 FUND RESULTS

Division	Chairman	Amount Reported
Advanced Gifts	E. J. Seymour	$21,273.00
Residential, Monroe	Mrs. Walter Knapp	2,654.00
Residential, West Monroe	Mrs. C. E. Faulk	1,035.00
Business, North	Mark Ringheim	862.00
Business, South	B. B. Martin	1,387.00
Special Groups	James Trousdale	1,752.00
West Monroe	Charlie Wall	710.00
Rural	Bailey Grant	477.00
Negro	A. H. Bowie	2,285.00
CHAPTER GOAL		$42,000.00
AMOUNT REPORTED		32,435.00
AMOUNT NEEDED		9,565.00

LISTING GIFTS TO RED CROSS

The Ouachita parish chapter's drive for funds for Red Cross has now reported receipts of $37,435. There is now needed to make the goal, $9,565.

Acknowledged donations are given additionally as follows:

Hudson-Leehy Post 3993, Veterans of Foreign Wars, $10; Louisiana Power and Light, West Monroe, $35; Jackson Hardware, $2; Fisher Bakery, $10; West Monroe Curb Market, $1; West Monroe Confectionery, $5; Quality Printing Co., $5; Farmers Feed & Seed, $5; Colbert Hardware, $7.50; Smiths Curb Market, 50c; Dixie Tourist Court, $1; Cannon's Package Store, $2; Simonton Grain Company, $25; Simonton Grain Company employes—A. B. Gee, $1.25; E. L. Rawls, $1.25; A. H. Eaves, $1; Thelma Buce, $1; West Monroe Washateria, $1; J. L. Aldrich Plumbing, $5; Stewart's Grocery, $2; Stag Shop, $5; Norris Department Store, Inc., $5; Kennedy Bennett, $25; Kennedy Bennett employes, $12; Lee's Jewelry, $5; Roylea's Shoe Shop, $3.50; Dr. J. W. Gilliland, $1; Hayes Dress Shop, $1; Erwin & Wall Ins. Agency, $10; Winnie Silmon Beauty Shop, 25c; Chandlers Shoe Store, $4; Morgan & Lindsey, $25.

Morgan & Lindsey employes—Rachel Taylor, $1; Flossie Long, 25c; Rosa Tedeton, 10c; Anabell Hearn, 10c; Lois Harper, 25c; Agnes Bethard, 50c; Myrtle Young, 25c; E. E. Greer, $1; E. & P. Grocery, $5; E. & P. Grocery employes—Leona Wink, $1; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Pettit, $2; T. John, $25; Louisiana Well Company, $37.50; Gay Clothing employes—Mrs. Foster, $1; Mrs. Vincent, $1; H. O. Hays, $1; Stubbs Electric employes—Curtis Stubbs, $1; L. L. Boatright, $1; P. D. Dunn, $1; Harold Chilton, $1; National Cylinder employes—E. E. Smith, $5; H. H. Talton, $1; Cascio Spaghetti Garden, $2; Loper Machine Works, $10; Loper Machine Works employes—P. V. Huey, $2; M. L. Rodgers, $1; T. E. Hollingsworth, 25c; an employe, $5; Texaco Station, $2; Bernard's Poultry, $5; Bernard's Poultry employes—Mrs. M. F. Coleman, $1; H. C. Smith, $1; Bill Johnson, $1; Shandy Owens, $1; Billy Cursler, $1; Dr. C. P. Jarrell, $20; Troy & Nichols, $50; Troy & Nichols employes—Mrs. R. M. Troy, $3; Mrs. J. Q. Whitlock, Jr., $2; Harold Breard, $2; Johnny Oakland, $2; Ruby Warner, $2; Louise Horne, $1; R. M. Gochenour, $1; C. J. Morrow, $2.

Twin City Printing Company, $50; Twin City Printing Company employes—Milton W. Ford, $3; R. L. Ross, Jr., $2; William L. Rothermel, $1; Milton Ford, $5; Henry G. Laffler, $1; Edward L. Ikerd, Jr., $1; A. L. Moses, $1; Robert B. Hale, $1; Henry C. Blazier, $1; Julian Windham, $1; John R. Vines, $1; Robert W. Irby, $1; Eva Lee Miller, $1; Gloria McCartney, $1; Donald Elliott, $1; Jeff Harris, $1; Dunham Pugh Company, Inc., employes—C. K. McClure, $10; W. E. Rambin, $1; W. H. Goddard, $1; L. A. Worley, $1; C. D. Hickey, $1; W. R. Mellor, $1; E. A. McNabb, $1; C. E. Barton, $1; Weaks Supply Co., $175; Weaks Supply Company employes—W. M. Washburn, $10; H. Chapman, $5; O. L. McCleary, $5; J. E. Nelson, $2.50; Mrs. Louise Johnson, $1; Julius McKnight, $1; Lee Roy Avery, $1; Rosemary Coleman, $1; Charles Bailey, $1; Mrs. Judy Caraway, $1.

Cecil Peters, $1; Robert Gregory, $1; W. W. Rainbolt $1; Theresa Thomisee, $1; Marjorie Ewing, $1; Kathleen Simrall, $1; Tom Humble, $5; M. C. Wade, $5; Mrs. Lillie Mae Carroll, $1; C. L. Springfield, $1; W. R. Crow, $5; H. H. Reardon, $100; Southern Carbon Co., $275; Southern Carbon Company employes—Willis H. Anders, $1; F. L. Jones, $1; William N. Pope, $2; Doris E. Roe, $1; Katie E. Strother, $1; Charlene B. Lane, $1; Sara E. Guy, $1; Elvin T. Kilpatrick, $1; Sylvia F. Hearne, $1; A. D. Williams, Jr., $1; Earl Mulhern, $1; John H. Browne, Jr., $1; Elizabeth Ann Thomas, $1; D. L. O. Puckett, $1; Virginia Scheen, $1; Vera L. Petty, $2; M. F. Lichtenfels, $20; Turpin Lumber & Supply Co., $25; Dr. G. M. Snellings, $25; Dr. A. G. McHenry, $25; Dr. A. G. McHenry's employes, $3; Krogmire Tailor, $2; Ouachita Furniture Co., $5; Ouachita Furniture Co. employe, W. C. Ford, $1; Louisiana Hotel, $15; Holloway's Pharmacy, $10; Welcome Branch Book Club, $5.

ORPHANAGE DAY BEING OBSERVED

All Methodist Churches Will Take Offerings For Ruston Home

"Orphanage Day" will be observed in all Methodist churches in Louisiana today. The only Louisiana institution operated by this denomination is in Ruston and is doing a valuable work for children who otherwise would be homeless, state those in charge.

Many young men and women in varied walks of life are holding positions of trust and are making valuable contributions to their communities who received their education and the shaping of their lives in the Ruston institution. Many of these have received a college education which is made possible as Louisiana Tech is located also in Ruston.

The needs of the orphanage are supplied by donations state-wide on two days in the year, Easter and Harvest Day in the fall. As living costs are mounting, it is desired that the gifts that will be taken up in all Methodist churches today be larger than a year ago to meet current requirements.

GRACE CHURCH IS TO FEATURE MUSIC

At Grace Episcopal Church the choral Eucharist and sermon will be given at 11 a.m.

The augmented choir will render the musical parts of Mozart's 12th mass and the offertory anthem will be Schilling's "Christ Our Passover."

Miss Gertrude Sandrock will sing the solo parts.

The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

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A STATEMENT TO THE PEOPLE OF MONROE

I have asked the Citizens of Monroe to elect me to the office of Commissioner of Finance and Public Utilities on my own volition and I represent no special group but hope to be elected as the representative of all the people solely FOR THE GOOD OF MONROE. This has been my home practically all of my life and will live here until I die.

I seek this office only on my qualifications. My schooling was in Mechanical and Chemical Engineering and I have had many years of experience in the design, construction and operation of Plants and Factories.

I am thoroughly acquainted with, and experienced, in the design, construction and operation of every piece of machinery and equipment in our power and water plant. There can never be any substitute for trained engineering knowledge, experience and ability for the successful operation of our utilities. Surely our experience for the past years with our power and water service should instantly convince anyone of this fact.

Every Citizen of Monroe wants pure soft drinking and boiler water and for years we have been given PROMISES and more PROMISES but NO WATER. I am going to correct this water situation as soon as I take office for the simple reason that I have the desire, the know-how and the experience necessary to do the job.

The sewerage disposal condition of Monroe is a civic disgrace and a constant menace to the health of all the citizens. The people have already voted the money and bids have been asked and bids were received at prices that were all out of reason. Bids are now being asked again on the same plans and we are going to receive the same bids or higher. When I am in office I propose to install an economical disposal system.

I propose to immediately route the Bus Lines to serve every section of the City on a dependable schedule and to provide waiting stations to keep the school children and other patrons of the Bus Line OUT OF RAIN AND INCLEMENT WEATHER.

When I first announced, I proposed to have an Advisory Board of representative citizens to advise with and help me in the operation of our utilities. I firmly believe that the people of Monroe should know of every phase of the operation of THEIR PROPERTIES, and I can assure you now there will be no dealings under the table or behind closed doors if I am your Commissioner. You may be further assured that POLITICS IS GOING OUT of the operation of your utilities the very minute I take office.

I firmly believe that if Monroe should ever lose the Utilities, our taxes would rise so high that we would revert to a village status. The taxes collected on all property in Monroe will not pay for the operation of our Police and Fire Departments. Every activity and service of the operation of our City depends solely on the earnings of our power and water facilities. There is positively no danger of our losing these utilities EXCEPT BY CONTINUAL MISMANAGEMENT.

NO MAYOR OR COMMISSIONER has any legal power to sell, lease or transfer our utilities. This cannot be done EXCEPT BY A VOTE OF THE PEOPLE.

I WANT IT UNDERSTOOD BY ALL that I will now, or in the future, in or out of office, FIGHT ANY MOVEMENT to sell or lease our utilities.

I respectfully ask your cooperation and support not only in my election to this office but in the successful operation of the Utilities. They BELONG TO YOU, THE PEOPLE OF MONROE, and they shall be operated by me on that basis.

I ask your support SOLELY ON MY QUALIFICATIONS based on long years of engineering experience since all of the operations of our utilities are engineering problems.

Sincerely,

HERBERT E. DICKARD

(Paid Political Advertisement)

Announcement

After 23 years, fitting women's and children's shoes at The Palace—I am now connected with—

Ruth Kelso Children's Shop

and will carry children's shoes to size 8. We will also carry boys' clothing to 14-year size and I will assist in fitting and selling in this department.

JOHN F. KELSO

ORGANIZE NEW LUNCHEON CLUB

Civitan Group Starts Off With Over Twenty Charter Members

The Civitan Club in Monroe was formally organized at the La Casa Tea Room Thursday night, with more than 20 charter members. Much enthusiasm was shown by the organizers and it was assured that there will be many new members admitted from the Twin Cities and also some may join who reside in Sterlington. At the election of officers, which also took place at the organization meeting, William S. (Billy) Gannaway was elected president; John Birdsong and Louis Gannaway, vice-presidents, and Harold Riggs, secretary-treasurer.

Organizers from Shreveport attended the meeting and aided in advising as to the decision in adopting by-laws for the new organization. The Civitan Club in Shreveport is said to be a large one and one that has performed a definite function in the civic life of that city.

Some years ago there was a Civitan Club in Monroe but it was disbanded when wartime conditions reduced the ranks and it became necessary to stop club activities. At this time those who are forming the club are of the opinion that it is needed here and will serve civic advancement by its functioning.

Charter night was determined at Thursday night's meeting. It will be held in one of the hotels on the night of April 17, and representation from other clubs will be invited and also ladies' night is planned for that occasion.

Meetings for the Civitan are set for each Thursday at 7 p. m.

TWO ARRESTED BY POLICE OFFICERS

Two Monroe men were arrested Friday night and placed under $300 bond, according to the Monroe police department.

Joe Vaughn, 28, 2505 South Grand, was charged with drunk driving.

LaSalle Johnson, 33, 1315 DeSiard Street, was charged with disturbing the peace, carrying and discharging a concealed weapon in the city limits.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

John S. Williamson, 22, and Mildred Myrick, 22, both of Monroe.

Sherman C. Whitehead, 32, and Clara Albritton, 30, both of West Monroe.

A cubic foot of solid bituminous coal, weighing about 81.25 pounds, is 1.3 times as heavy as water.

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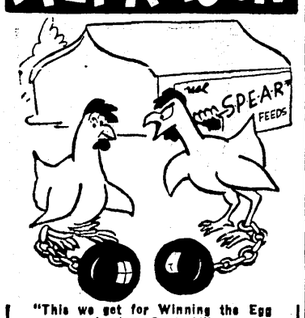

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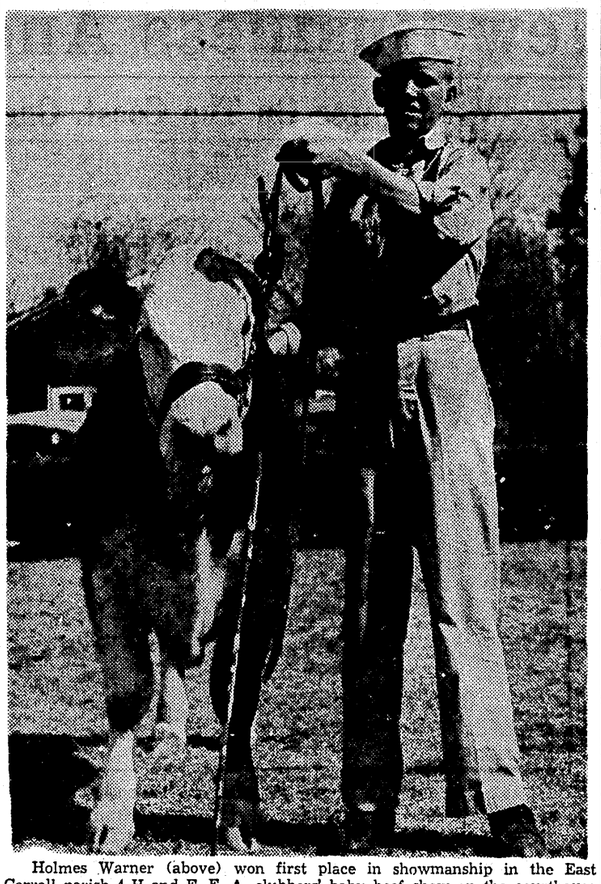

Holmes Warner (above) won first place in showmanship in the East Carroll parish 4-H and F. F. A. clubbers' baby beef show on the courthouse grounds, in Lake Providence, March 20.

TOWN HALL IS TO OPEN DRIVE

'Kick-Off' Membership Campaign To Start On Monday

The Monroe Town Hall organization will open an office in the Hotel Virginia lobby tomorrow when memberships for the coming season will be received.

Monday at 7 p. m. a "kick-off" luncheon will be held by board members and others who will be engaged in the membership campaign, stated Mrs. J. B. Kugler, program chairman.

This year there will be less soliciting of membership than has been the case in past years, Mrs. Kugler said. This is because Town Hall has become firmly entrenched as a highly appreciated civic project and as such does not need any great amount of solicitation to obtain members.

Each year has shown an increase in memberships and it is expected that the 1948-49 season will be more successful, than any past season. Ivey Jordan is to serve as president for the coming year, having been recently re-elected.

BIRTHS

Vaughn-Wright-Bendel Clinic

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Plunk, of Monroe, a son, William Michel, born March 25.

St. Francis Sanitarium

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steven McDuffy, of Monroe, a son, born March 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Simpson, of Monroe, a daughter, born March 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams, of Monroe, a daughter, born March 22.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hale, of Bonita, a son, born March 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Hart, of Monroe, a son, born March 21.

Argentina produces more than one-half the world's flax seed.

IN MOVIELAND

By Bob Thomas

HOLLYWOOD, March 27.—(AP)—Hollywood's movie stars need a sound spanking.

This is no snap judgment on my part. Many happenings have brought it to my attention. The truth is that stars, like kids with too much candy, are getting spoiled.

Last week's academy award blowout brought this into sharp focus. The academy is Hollywood's bid for dignity and prestige. It is supposed to be the industry's tribute to the best work of the year. Most of the town's big stars found some reason not to attend.

The only big names who turned out were those on the program or nominated for awards. And most of those conducted themselves in a silly manner. They tried to sneak into the auditorium unnoticed. Or if the crowd recognized them and cheered, they gave no response, but hurried along.

Later that night, Sunset Strip night clubs were filled with stars who "couldn't make" the academy event.

In many other ways, the stars are sloughing off the public that supports them and the industry that pay them fabulous salaries. Some pay scant attention to their fans, ignoring or letting the studio answer the fan mail. Many of them make no attempt to meet the public.

One of the top film queens was asked this week if she planned any personal appearance tours.

"My p. a. days are behind me," she answered blandly.

Recently, 10 stars were cited as the most popular in the U. S., according to a public opinion poll conducted for a magazine. Only four of them—Ingrid Bergman, June Allyson, Alan Ladd and Humphrey Bogart—showed up at a banquet to receive their awards.

It's about time stars were realizing whence comes their moola—from the public with whom they have so little contact these days.

I'll admit the stars may have a reply. Their immediate public—the "fans" who clamor around theaters and hotels—are often malicious screwballs. But there are other, real fans beyond the lunatic fringe.

The argument might also be raised that some stars are shy. If so, they are in the wrong racket.

Radio Programs

NETWORK PROGRAMS

Time is eastern standard. For central standard subtract one hour, for mountain standard subtract two hours. Some local stations change hour of relay to fit local schedules. Last minute program changes cannot be included.

SUNDAY, MARCH 28

Sunrise Services

6:00—Moravian Services—cbs
7:30—From Radio City—nbc
Knights Templar—cbs
Washington Cathedral—abc
8:00—Soldier Monument, St. Louis—abc
8:15—Forest Lawn, Calif.—cbs
8:30—Garden of Gods—cbs
Hollywood Bowl—abc

Afternoon

1:00—America, United, Talks—nbc
Doorway to life—cbs
Sam Pettingill Talk—abc
Wm. Shirer Comment—mbs
1:15—Editor at Home—abc
Singing Canaries—mbs-basic
1:30—Chicago Roundtable—nbc
Song of Man, Drama—cbs
National Vespers—abc
Triumphant Hour—mbs
2:00—Robert Merrill Concert—nbc
Week Around World—abc
2:30—James Melton Concert—nbc
News Commentary—cbs
Mr. President—abc
News: Veterans' Panel—mbs
2:45—Opinion Comment—abc
3:00—Music Parade, Comment—nbc
New York Philharmonic—cbs
Lassie, Dog Drama—abc
Theater of Song—mbs-basic
Ernie Lee Show—mbs-south
3:15—To Be Announced—abc
3:30—One Man's Family—nbc
Sunday Serenade—abc
The Juvenile Jury—mbs
4:00—Quiz Kids, Joe Kelly—nbc
Warnow's Soundoff—abc
House of Mystery—mbs
4:30—News; Living 1948—nbc
Eileen Farrell Concert—cbs
Opera Auditions—abc
Detective Mysteries—mbs
5:00—The Sunday Theater—nbc
Janett Davis Song—cbs
Treasury Agent—abc
The Shadow Drama—mbs
5:15—The Two Phils, Music—cbs
5:30—Phil Spitalny Girls—cbs
Counter Spy Drama—abc
Quick as a Flash—mbs

Evening

6:00—Catholic Radio Service—nbc
Rise Stevens Time—cbs
Drew Pearson Comment—abc
Those Websters, Skit—mbs
6:15—News Summary—abc
6:30—Hollywood Preview—nbc
Percy Faith Concert—cbs
Greatest Story Ever Told—abc
Nick Carter, Detective—mbs
7:00—Jack Benny Comedy—nbc
The Gene Autry Show—cbs
Detroit Symphony—abc
Sherlock Holmes—mbs
7:30—Phil and Alice—nbc
Blondie and Dagwood—cbs
Gabriel Heatter Show—mbs
8:00—Edgar Bergen, Charlie—nbc
Sam Spade Adventures—cbs
Stop Music Quiz—abc
The Mediation Board—mbs
8:30—Fred Allen Comedy—nbc
The Man Called X—cbs
Movies Commentary—mbs
8:45—News Broadcast—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News—cbs
9:00—Merry-Go-Round—nbc
Meet Corliss Archer, Skit—cbs
Walter Winchell Time—abc
Meet Me at Parky's—mbs
9:15—Hollywood Comment—abc
9:30—Album Familiar Music—nbc
Mickey Rooney Serial—cbs
Theater Guild Hour—abc
Jim Backus Comedy—mbs
10:00—Take It or Leave It—nbc
Escape Drama Series—cbs
Voices of Strings—mbs
10:30—Horace Heidt Show—nbc
Strike It Rich, Quiz—cbs
Commentary on Movies—abc
Latin-American Serenade—mbs
10:45—Network Music—abc
11:00—News & Variety 2 hrs.—nbc
News, Variety, Dance 2 hrs.—cbs
News and Dance Band—abc
News, Dance Band 2 hrs.—mbs
12:00—Dancing Continued—abc-west

KWKH

Shreveport—1130 Kilocycles

SUNDAY

6:00—The Welsch Choir CBS
6:30—Knights Templar Easter Pgm. CBS
7:00—News Local
7:15—Sacred Heart Program Local
7:30—Baptist Hour Local
8:00—Church of Christ Local
8:30—Tri-State Singers Local
8:45—News Local
9:00—Voice of Prophecy Local
9:30—Church of the Air Local
10:00—News—North Carolina State CBS
10:15—Tabernacle Choir Local
10:30—Salt Lake Tab. Choir CBS
11:00—Sunday Morning Worship Local
12:00—Lutheran Laymen's League Local
12:30—News—Business News—Music Local
12:45—Sunday Serenade Local
1:00—The Wayne King Show CBS
1:30—Joseph C. Harsh CBS
1:45—Album of Musical Portraits CBS
2:00—N. Y. Philharmonic CBS
3:30—Our Northern Exposure CBS
4:00—Janette Davis Sings CBS
4:15—Here's To You CBS
4:30—The Hour of Charm CBS
4:45—The Hour of Charm CBS
5:00—The Family Hour CBS
5:30—The Pause That Refreshes CBS
6:00—Gene Autry Show CBS
6:30—Blondie CBS
7:00—Adventures of Sam Spade CBS
7:30—Man Called X CBS
8:00—Meet Corliss Archer CBS
8:30—Shorty Bell CBS
9:00—Escape CBS
9:30—Strike It Rich CBS
10:00—News—Bob Shipley, News Local
10:15—The Newsmakers CBS
10:30—Son of Man CBS
11:30—Frankie Carle's Orch. CBS
12:00—News—Music for Dreaming Local
1:00—News Local
1:05—Sine

KMLB

1440 Kilocycles

SUNDAY

6:30—Sunrise Prayer Services Local
7:00—Easter Services ABC
7:30—Hollywood Bowl Services ABC
8:30—Christian Brotherhood Hour Local
9:00—Old Fashioned Revival Hour Local
10:00—Fine Arts Quartet ABC
10:30—Message of Israel Local
11:00—Catholic Church Local
12:00—Sunday Showcase ABC
12:15—Editor At Home ABC
12:30—Irving Sings Local
1:00—Musical Question Box Local
1:30—Crusade for Christ Local
2:00—Hawaiian Echoes Local
2:15—Sam Pettengill ABC
2:30—Sunday Serenade ABC
3:00—Sound-Off ABC
3:30—Teletime Local
4:00—Treasury Agent ABC
4:30—Counterspy ABC
5:00—Drew Pearson ABC
5:15—Monday Morning Headlines ABC
5:30—Greatest Story Ever Told ABC
6:00—Sunday Evening Hour ABC
7:00—Stop the Music ABC
8:00—Walter Winchell ABC
8:15—Louella Parsons ABC
8:30—Theatre Guild on the Air ABC
9:30—Frankie Carle Local
9:45—Music in Velvet ABC
10:00—News Of Tomorrow ABC
10:15—Vera Massey Sings ABC
10:30—Your Radio Chaplain Local
10:45—Ambassador Hotel Orch. ABC
11:00—News ABC
11:05—Hotel Stevens' Orch. ABC
11:30—O'Henry Ballroom ABC
11:55—News Summary ABC
12:00—Sine

KMFM

2:30—Sunday Serenade ABC
3:00—Sound Off ABC
3:30—Dance Time Local
3:45—Golden Moments of Song Local
4:00—Treasury Agent ABC
4:30—Counterspy ABC
5:00—Drew Pearson ABC
5:15—Monday Morning Headlines ABC
5:30—Greatest Story Ever Told ABC
6:00—Fiesta Local
6:30—Exploring the Unknown ABC
7:00—Music by Maupin ABC
7:30—Twelve Players ABC
8:00—Walter Winchell ABC
8:15—Louella Parsons ABC
8:30—Evening Melodies Local
8:45—News Summary Local
9:00—Sine

KNOE

1230 Kilocycles

SUNDAY

7:00—Rev. Keal Local
7:05—Easter Sunrise Service NBC
7:30—NBC String Ensemble NBC
7:45—Twin City Trio Local
8:00—World News Roundup NBC
8:15—Colored Church Service Local
8:30—Good News Hour Local
9:00—National Radio Pulpit NBC
9:30—Christian Science Heals Local
9:45—Monroe Spiritual Singers Local
10:00—Ave Maria Hour Local
10:30—Religious Five Local
10:45—News Local
10:50—Drew Pearson Local
11:00—Church Services Local
12:00—Eternal Light NBC
12:30—Rev. Staples—W. M. Meth. Local
1:00—RCA Victor Show NBC
1:30—Harvest of Stars NBC
2:00—The Sheaffer Parade NBC
2:30—Lutheran Hour Local
3:00—Quiz Kids NBC
3:30—News, Bob Trout NBC
3:35—Living, 1948 NBC
4:00—The Ford Theater NBC
5:00—The Catholic Hour NBC
5:30—Hollywood Star Preview NBC
6:00—Jack Benny NBC
6:30—Fitch Bandwagon NBC
7:00—Charlie McCarthy NBC
7:30—Fred Allen NBC
8:00—Merry-Go-Round NBC
8:30—Album of Familiar Music NBC
9:00—Take It Or Leave It NBC
9:30—Horace Heidt NBC
10:00—News NBC
10:15—Caesar Searchinger NBC
10:30—The Dave Garroway Show NBC
11:00—News NBC
11:05—Beasley Smith Orch. NBC
11:30—Harlow Burgess & Music NBC
11:55 News NBC
12:00—Sine

ARREST TWO NEGROES IN PARTS THEFT

Two Negro men were arrested late Friday in connection with the theft of merchandise from the Auto-Lec store, 111 Catalpa street, and placed in the city jail, according to Chief Justice J. D. Busby.

Both Negroes, Alfred Robertson, 23, and Joseph F. Anderson, 25, worked for the Auto-Lec store and are being held on charges of theft.

Bauxite, an important ingredient of aluminum, was originally discovered at Les Beaux, France, from whence it derives its name.

JOHN KELSO TO HAVE OWN SHOP

Leaves The Palace After Many Years To Join Wife's Business

John F. Kelso, employed at the Palace continuously since May, 1925, as a salesman in the ladies and children's shoe department, and since, engaged in buying and merchandising in this department, is to leave this position to join his wife, Mrs. Ruth Kelso, as owner and operator of the Ruth Shop, at 306 DeSiard street.

Mr. Kelso, native of West Tennessee, started in the shoe business in 1918 in Cleveland, Miss., and his long continuous service have made him well conversant with the public, whose needs he has been engaged in satisfying for so many years.

In his new connection, in a store which he and his wife will own and operate, the shoe department will be enlarged and new equipment such as new stools and fitting stools will be added, and Mr. Kelso will personally supervise the fitting of children's shoes and also clothing for the larger boys.

The slogan of the store will be: "Keep Kiddies in Kelso's Kicks." Sizes available will be those from infants up to children who have reached the age of ten years.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelso have two children, a son, John, Jr., 20 years old, who will graduate in chemical engineering from Texas A. and M. in June. He will also receive a second lieutenant's commission in the officers' reserve ranks. Barbara, his sister, is 13 and in grade 8 at Neville High School.

Mr. Kelso is a member of the Lions club and Western Star lodge F. and A. M., Monroe Council No. 8, and of the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Kelso, before she took over the operation of her present business, was for 20 years associated with the Palace store as saleswoman, in which she has made a wide circle of friends

FEW EXEMPTIONS ON HOMESTEADS FILED

Only 50 per cent of the property owners of Monroe and West Monroe have filed homestead exemptions, according to Bert Coverdale, tax assessor.

By signing the exemption forms property owners are exempted $2,000 of the assessed value of their possession. Veterans receive a $5,000 exemption for five years.

Deputies are in the rural districts, Coverdale said, and have homestead exemption forms which enable rural property owners to sign for their exemptions without coming to the courthouse.

Coverdale reminds the public that April 15 is the deadline and home owners of the twin cities are lagging in signing for exemptions.

Property owners of the parish saved $179,537.98 last year by signing for exemptions, and more will be saved this year if the people come in and sign, Coverdale said.

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LEAVES PALACE

JOHN F. KELSO

STORM DAMAGES CENTURY PLANT

The Century Brick Company's plant on the Sterlington road was badly damaged by the tornado on Friday night. A sheet iron roof was ripped off and storage sheds practically destroyed.

This is the second time that a tornado has wrought destruction at this plant which was established only a year ago, states R. F. Parker, manager.

Parts of the wrecked roof were found some blocks away on the bayou's banks, it was stated. While the damage was not definitely estimated, it was said total to several thousand dollars and possible in excess of that sum.

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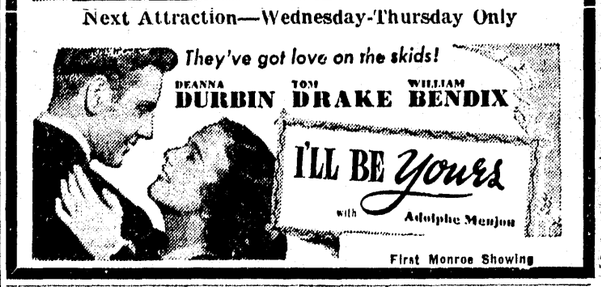

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	Tallulah	7:00 P. M. Court House
March 31	Lake Providence	9:00 A. M. Court House
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April 3	Bernice	11:00 A. M. Mayor's Office
	Ruston	2:00 P. M. Court House

RADIO ADDRESSES

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April 1	7:00-7:30 A. M.	KNOE Monroe
	7:30-8:00 P. M.	KNOE Monroe
April 3	1:00-1:30 P. M.	KRUS Ruston

Congressman Passman Will Report On Drainage, Flood Control, Agriculture, R. E. A. Extensions and Other Problems

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ORGANIZE NEW LUNCHEON CLUB

Civitan Group Starts Off With Over Twenty Charter Members

The Civitan Club in Monroe was formally organized at the La Casa Tea Room Thursday night, with more than 20 charter members. Much enthusiasm was shown by the organizers and it was assured that there will be many new members admitted from the Twin Cities and also some may join who reside in Sterlington. At the election of officers, which also took place at the organization meeting, William S. (Billy) Gannaway was elected president; John Birdsong and Louis Gannaway, vice-presidents, and Harold Riggs, secretary-treasurer.

Organizers from Shreveport attended the meeting and aided in advising as to the decision in adopting by-laws for the new organization. The Civitan Club in Shreveport is said to be a large one and one that has performed a definite function in the civic life of that city.

Some years ago there was a Civitan Club in Monroe but it was disbanded when wartime conditions reduced the ranks and it became necessary to stop club activities. At this time those who are forming the club are of the opinion that it is needed here and will serve civic advancement by its functioning.

Charter night was determined at Thursday night's meeting. It will be held in one of the hotels on the night of April 17, and representation from other clubs will be invited and also ladies' night is planned for that occasion.

Meetings for the Civitan are set for each Thursday at 7 p. m.

TWO ARRESTED BY POLICE OFFICERS

Two Monroe men were arrested Friday night and placed under $300 bond, according to the Monroe police department.

Joe Vaughn, 28, 2505 South Grand, was charged with drunk driving.

LaSalle Johnson, 38, 1315 DeSiard Street, was charged with disturbing the peace, carrying and discharging a concealed weapon in the city limits.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

John S. Williamson, 22, and Mildred Myrick, 22, both of Monroe.

Sherman C. Whitehead, 32, and Clara Albritton, 30, both of West Monroe.

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PROUD STOCKRAISER

Holmes Warner (above) won first place in showmanship in the East Carroll parish 4-H and F. F. A. clubbers' baby beef show on the courthouse grounds, in Lake Providence, March 20.

TOWN HALL IS TO OPEN DRIVE

'Kick-Off' Membership Campaign To Start On Monday

The Monroe Town Hall organization will open an office in the Hotel Virginia lobby tomorrow when memberships for the coming season will be received.

Monday at 7 p. m. a "kick-off" luncheon will be held by board members and others who will be engaged in the membership campaign, stated Mrs. J. B. Kugler, program chairman.

This year there will be less soliciting of membership than has been the case in past years, Mrs. Kugler said. This is because Town Hall has become firmly entrenched as a highly appreciated civic project and as such does not need any great amount of solicitation to obtain members.

Each year has shown an increase in memberships and it is expected that the 1948-49 season will be more successful, than any past season. Ivey Jordan is to serve as president for the coming year, having been recently re-elected.

BIRTHS

Vaughn-Wright-Bendel Clinic

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Plunk, of Monroe, a son, William Michel, born March 25.

St. Francis Sanitarium

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steven McDuffy, of Monroe, a son, born March 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Simpson, of Monroe, a daughter, born March 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams, of Monroe, a daughter, born March 22.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hale, of Bonita, a son, born March 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Hart, of Monroe, a son, born March 21.

Argentina produces more than one-half the world's flax seed.

IN MOVIELAND

By Bob Thomas

HOLLYWOOD, March 27. — (AP) — Hollywood's movie stars need a sound spanking.

This is no snap judgment on my part. Many happenings have brought it to my attention. The truth is that stars, like kids with too much candy, are getting spoiled.

Last week's academy award blowout brought this into sharp focus. The academy is Hollywood's bid for dignity and prestige. It is supposed to be the industry's tribute to the best work of the year. Most of the town's big stars found some reason not to attend.

The only big names who turned out were those on the program or nominated for awards. And most of those conducted themselves in a silly manner. They tried to sneak into the auditorium unnoticed. Or if the crowd recognized them and cheered, they gave no response, but hurried along.

Later that night, Sunset Strip night clubs were filled with stars who "couldn't make" the academy event.

In many other ways, the stars are sloughing off the public that supports them and the industry that pay them fabulous salaries. Some pay scant attention to their fans, ignoring or letting the studio answer the fan mail. Many of them make no attempt to meet the public.

One of the top film queens was asked this week if she planned any personal appearance tours.

"My p. a. days are behind me," she answered blandly.

Recently, 10 stars were cited as the most popular in the U. S., according to a public opinion poll conducted for a magazine. Only four of them—Ingrid Bergman, June Allyson, Alan Ladd and Humphrey Bogart—showed up at a banquet to receive their awards.

It's about time stars were realizing whence comes their moola—from the public with whom they have so little contact these days.

I'll admit the stars may have a reply. Their immediate public—the "fans" who clamor around theaters and hotels—are often malicious screwballs. But there are other, real fans beyond the lunatic fringe.

The argument might also be raised that some stars are shy. If so, they are in the wrong racket.

Radio Programs

NETWORK PROGRAMS

Time is eastern standard. For central standard subtract one hour, for mountain standard subtract two hours. Some local stations change hour of relay to fit local schedules. Last minute program changes cannot be included.

SUNDAY, MARCH 28

Sunrise Services

6:00—Moravian Services—cbs
7:30—From Radio City—nbc
Knights Templar—cbs
Washington Cathedral—abc
8:00—Soldier Monument, St. Louis—abc
8:15—Forest Lawn, Calif.—cbs
8:30—Garden of Gods—cbs
Hollywood Bowl—abc

Afternoon

1:00—America, United, Talks—nbc
Doorway to life—cbs
Sam Pettingill Talk—abc
Wm. Shirer Comment—mbs
1:15—Editor at Home—abc
Singing Canaries—mbs-basic
1:30—Chicago Roundtable—nbc
Song of Man, Drama—cbs
National Vespers—abc
Triumphant Hour—mbs
2:00—Robert Merrill Concert—nbc
Week Around World—abc
2:30—James Melton Concert—nbc
News Commentary—cbs
Mr. President—abc
News: Veterans' Panel—mbs
2:45—Opinion Comment—abc
3:00—Music Parade, Comment—nbc
New York Philharmonic—cbs
Lassie, Dog Drama—abc
Theater of Song—mbs-basic
Ernie Lee Show—mbs-south
3:15—To Be Announced—abc
3:30—One Man's Family—nbc
Sunday Serenade—abc
The Juvenile Jury—mbs
4:00—Quiz Kids, Joe Kelly—nbc
Warnow's Soundoff—abc
House of Mystery—mbs
4:30—News; Living 1948—nbc
Eileen Farrell Concert—cbs
Opera Auditions—abc
Detective Mysteries—mbs
5:00—The Sunday Theater—nbc
Janett Davis Song—cbs
Treasury Agent—abc
The Shadow Drama—mbs
5:15—The Two Phils, Music—cbs
5:30—Phil Spitalny Girls—cbs
Counter Spy Drama—abc
Quick as a Flash—mbs

Evening

6:00—Catholic Radio Service—nbc
Rise Stevens Time—cbs
Drew Pearson Comment—abc
Those Websters, Skit—mbs
6:15—News Summary—abc
6:30—Hollywood Preview—nbc
Percy Faith Concert—cbs
Greatest Story Ever Told—abc
Nick Carter, Detective—mbs
7:00—Jack Benny Comedy—nbc
The Gene Autry Show—cbs
Detroit Symphony—abc
Sherlock Holmes—mbs
7:30—Phil and Alice—nbc
Blondie and Dagwood—cbs
Gabriel Heatter Show—mbs
8:00—Edgar Bergen, Charlie—nbc
Sam Spade Adventures—cbs
Stop Music Quiz—abc
The Mediation Board—mbs
8:30—Fred Allen Comedy—nbc
The Man Called X—cbs
Movies Commentary—mbs
8:45—News Broadcast—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News—cbs
9:00—Merry-Go-Round—nbc
Meet Corliss Archer, Skit—cbs
Walter Winchell Time—abc
Meet Me at Parky's—mbs
9:15—Hollywood Comment—abc
9:30—Album Familiar Music—nbc
Mickey Rooney Serial—cbs
Theater Guild Hour—abc
Jim Backus Comedy—mbs
10:00—Take It or Leave It—nbc
Escape Drama Series—cbs
Voices of Strings—mbs
10:30—Horace Heidt Show—nbc
Strike It Rich, Quiz—cbs
Commentary on Movies—abc
Latin-American Serenade—mbs
10:45—Network Music—abc
11:00—News & Variety 2 hrs.—nbc
News, Variety, Dance 2 hrs.—cbs
News and Dance Band—abc
News, Dance Band 2 hrs.—mbs
12:00—Dancing Continued—abc-west

KWKH

Shreveport—1130 Kilocycles

SUNDAY

6:00—The Welsch Choir	CBS
6:30—Knights Templar Easter Pgm.	CBS
7:00—News	Local
7:15—Sacred Heart Program	Local
7:30—Baptist Hour	Local
8:00—Church of Christ	Local
8:30—Tri-State Singers	Local
8:45—News	Local
9:00—Voice of Prophecy	Local
9:30—Church of the Air	Local
10:00—News—North Carolina State	CBS
10:15—Tabernacle Choir	Local
10:30—Salt Lake Tab. Choir	CBS
11:00—Sunday Morning Worship	Local
12:00—Lutheran Laymen's League	Local
12:30—News—Business News—Music	Local
12:45—Sunday Serenade	Local
1:00—The Wayne King Show	CBS
1:30—Joseph C. Harsh	CBS
1:45—Album of Musical Portraits	CBS
2:00—N. Y. Philharmonic	CBS
3:30—Our Northern Exposure	CBS
4:00—Janette Davis Sings	CBS
4:15—Here's To You	CBS
4:30—The Hour of Charm	CBS
4:45—The Hour of Charm	CBS
5:00—The Family Hour	CBS
5:30—The Pause That Refreshes	CBS
6:00—Gene Autry Show	CBS
6:30—Blondie	CBS
7:00—Adventures of Sam Spade	CBS
7:30—Man Called X	CBS
8:00—Meet Corliss Archer	CBS
8:30—Shorty Bell	CBS
9:00—Escape	CBS
9:30—Strike It Rich	CBS
10:00—News—Bob Shipley, News	Local
10:15—The Newmakers	CBS
10:30—Son of Man	CBS
11:30—Frankie Carle's Orch.	CBS
12:00—News—Music for Dreaming	Local
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7:00—Easter Services	ABC
7:30—Hollywood Bowl Services	ABC
8:30—Christian Brotherhood Hour	Local
9:00—Old Fashioned Revival Hour	Local
10:00—Fine Arts Quartet	ABC
10:30—Message of Israel	Local
11:00—Catholic Church	Local
12:00—Sunday Showcase	ABC
12:15—Editor At Home	ABC
12:30—Irving Sings	Local
1:00—Musical Question Box	Local
1:30—Crusade for Christ	Local
2:00—Hawaiian Echoes	Local
2:15—Sam Pettengill	ABC
2:30—Sunday Serenade	ABC
3:00—Sound-Off	ABC
3:30—Teletime	Local
4:00—Treasury Agent	ABC
4:30—Counterspy	ABC
5:00—Drew Pearson	ABC
5:15—Monday Morning Headlines	ABC
5:30—Greatest Story Ever Told	ABC
6:00—Sunday Evening Hour	ABC
7:00—Stop the Music	ABC
8:00—Walter Winchell	ABC
8:15—Louella Parsons	ABC
8:30—Theatre Guild on the Air	ABC
9:30—Frankie Carle	Local
9:45—Music in Velvet	ABC
10:00—News Of Tomorrow	ABC
10:15—Vera Massey Sings	ABC
10:30—Your Radio Chaplain	Local
10:45—Ambassador Hotel Orch.	ABC
11:00—News	ABC
11:05—Hotel Stevens' Orch.	ABC
11:30—O'Henry Ballroom	ABC
11:55—News Summary	ABC
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3:30—Dance Time	Local
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6:00—Fiesta	Local
6:30—Exploring the Unknown	ABC
7:00—Music by Maupin	ABC
7:30—Twelve Players	ABC
8:00—Walter Winchell	ABC
8:15—Louella Parsons	ABC
8:30—Evening Melodies	Local
8:45—News Summary	Local
9:00—Sine	

KNOE

1230 Kilocycles

SUNDAY

7:00—Rev. Keal	Local
7:05—Easter Sunrise Service	NBC
7:30—NBC String Ensemble	NBC
7:45—Twin City Trio	Local
8:00—World News Roundup	NBC
8:15—Colored Church Service	Local
8:30—Good News Hour	Local
9:00—National Radio Pulpit	NBC
9:30—Christian Science Heals	Local
9:45—Monroe Spiritual Singers	Local
10:00—Ave Maria Hour	Local
10:30—Religious Five	Local
10:45—News	Local
10:50—Drew Pearson	Local
11:00—Church Services	Local
12:00—Eternal Light	NBC
12:30—Rev. Staples—W. M. Meth.	Local
1:00—RCA Victor Show	NBC
1:30—Harvest of Stars	NBC
2:00—The Sheaffer Parade	NBC
2:30—Lutheran Hour	Local
3:00—Quiz Kids	NBC
3:30—News, Bob Trout	NBC
3:35—Living, 1948	NBC
4:00—The Ford Theater	NBC
5:00—The Catholic Hour	NBC
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11:30—Harlow Burgess & Music	NBC
11:55 News	NBC
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ARREST TWO NEGROES IN PARTS THEFT

Two Negro men were arrested late Friday in connection with the theft of merchandise from the Auto-Lec store, 111 Catalpa street, and placed in the city jail, according to Chief Justice J. D. Busby.

Both Negroes, Alfred Robertson, 23, and Joseph F. Anderson, 25, worked for the Auto-Lec store and are being held on charges of theft.

Bauxite, an important ingredient of aluminum, was originally discovered at Les Beaux, France, from whence it derives its name.

JOHN KELSO TO HAVE OWN SHOP

Leaves The Palace After Many Years To Join Wife's Business

John F. Kelso, employed at the Palace continuously since May, 1925, as a salesman in the ladies and children's shoe department, and since, engaged in buying and merchandising in this department, is to leave this position to join his wife, Mrs. Ruth Kelso, as owner and operator of the Ruth Shop, at 306 DeSiard street.

Mr. Kelso, native of West Tennessee, started in the shoe business in 1918 in Cleveland, Miss., and his long continuous service have made him well conversant with the public, whose needs he has been engaged in satisfying for so many years.

In his new connection, in a store which he and his wife will own and operate, the shoe department will be enlarged and new equipment such as new stools and fitting stools will be added, and Mr. Kelso will personally supervise the fitting of children's shoes and also clothing for the larger boys.

The slogan of the store will be: "Keep Kiddies in Kelso's Kicks." Sizes available will be those from infants up to children who have reached the age of ten years.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelso have two children, a son, John, Jr., 20 years old, who will graduate in chemical engineering from Texas A. and M. in June. He will also receive a second lieutenant's commission in the officers' reserve ranks. Barbara, his sister, is 13 and in grade 8 at Neville High School.

Mr. Kelso is a member of the Lions club and Western Star lodge F. and A. M., Monroe Council No. 8, and of the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Kelso, before she took over the operation of her present business, was for 20 years associated with the Palace store as saleswoman, in which she has made a wide circle of friends.

FEW EXEMPTIONS ON HOMESTEADS FILED

Only 50 per cent of the property owners of Monroe and West Monroe have filed homestead exemptions, according to Bert Coverdale, tax assessor.

By signing the exemption forms property owners are exempted $2,000 of the assessed value of their possession. Veterans receive a $5,000 exemption for five years.

Deputies are in the rural districts, Coverdale said, and have homestead exemption forms which enable rural property owners to sign for their exemptions without coming to the courthouse.

Coverdale reminds the public that April 15 is the deadline and home owners of the twin cities are lagging in signing for exemptions.

Property owners of the parish saved $179,537.98 last year by signing for exemptions, and more will be saved this year if the people come in and sign, Coverdale said.

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STORM DAMAGES CENTURY PLANT

The Century Brick Company's plant on the Sterlington road was badly damaged by the tornado on Friday night. A sheet iron roof was ripped off and storage sheds practically destroyed.

This is the second time that a tornado has wrought destruction at this plant which was established only a year ago, states R. F. Parker, manager.

Parts of the wrecked roof were found some blocks away on the bayou's banks, it was stated. While the damage was not definitely estimated, it was said total to several thousand dollars and possible in excess of that sum.

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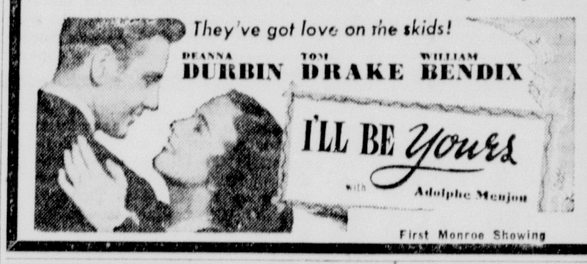

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A number of messages reached me in this manner while I was in South Africa and I was grateful for the direct word from home. I received one through J. G. Swart of Cape Town while I was having dinner with General Smuts there. Other "ham" operators who talked with Mr. Antony and gave me word from home included E. A. Myers of Johannesburg, S. F. Poole of Botriver, W. S. vasStaden at Krugersdorp and F. H. Flater at Cape Town.

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Cape Town, the legislative capital of the South African Union, is situated at the head of Cape Peninsula, and at the foot of the peninsula, 30 miles away, is the Cape of Good Hope, the southern tip of the African continent.

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Much of the city is built on the lower slopes of Table Mountain, now completely circling it. The slopes are wooded and provide a handsome setting for gardens and estates. Cape Town's Table bay can handle the largest vessels.

Adding to the pleasure of life in Cape Town are several seacoast resorts which remind one of the French Riviera or the Florida and Gulf coasts, with many apartments and hotels close to the beach and surf. The early Dutch influence is particularly noticeable in Cape Town architecture, more so than in Johannesburg or Durban.

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The fourth city in South Africa entertaining us as guests was East London, a small but attractive port located midway between Durban and Cape Town and made famous last year by the christening of a new dry dock by Princess Elizabeth during the Royal family's trip around the world. I was told that excellent fishing is to be had there. This is a great beach resort and many were swimming although the temperature at the time was between 55 and 60 degrees.

We were entertained on our overnight visit, being guests of the East London Publicity Association at a fine dinner at the Beach hotel.

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In this connection, I should mention that South Africa is an excellent market for American products. During 1947, approximately 13,000 automobiles manufactured in the United States were imported by South Africa, and during the year Ford, General Motors, Chrysler and Studebaker erected assembly plants there. Goodyear and Firestone had already built South African subsidiary plants.

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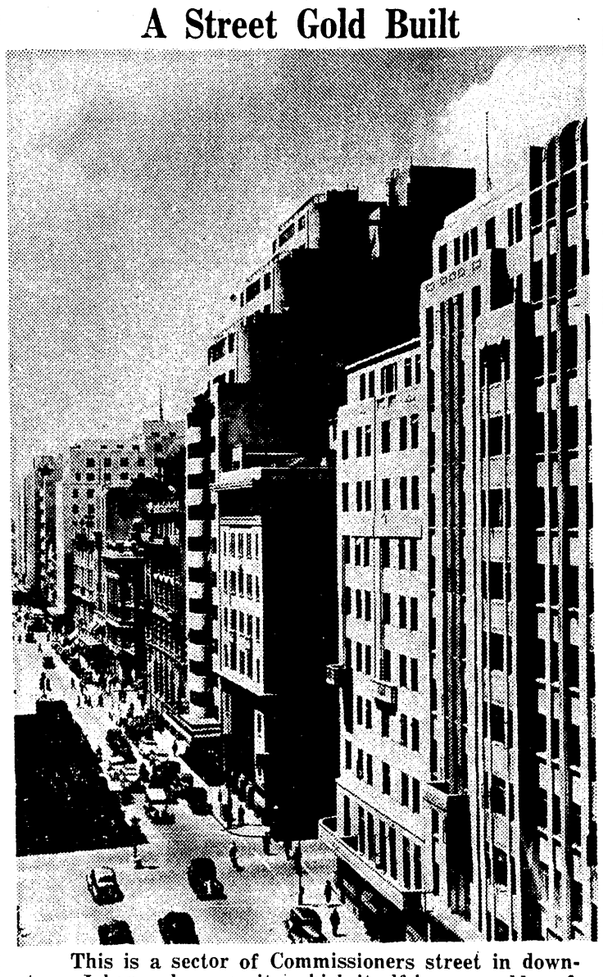

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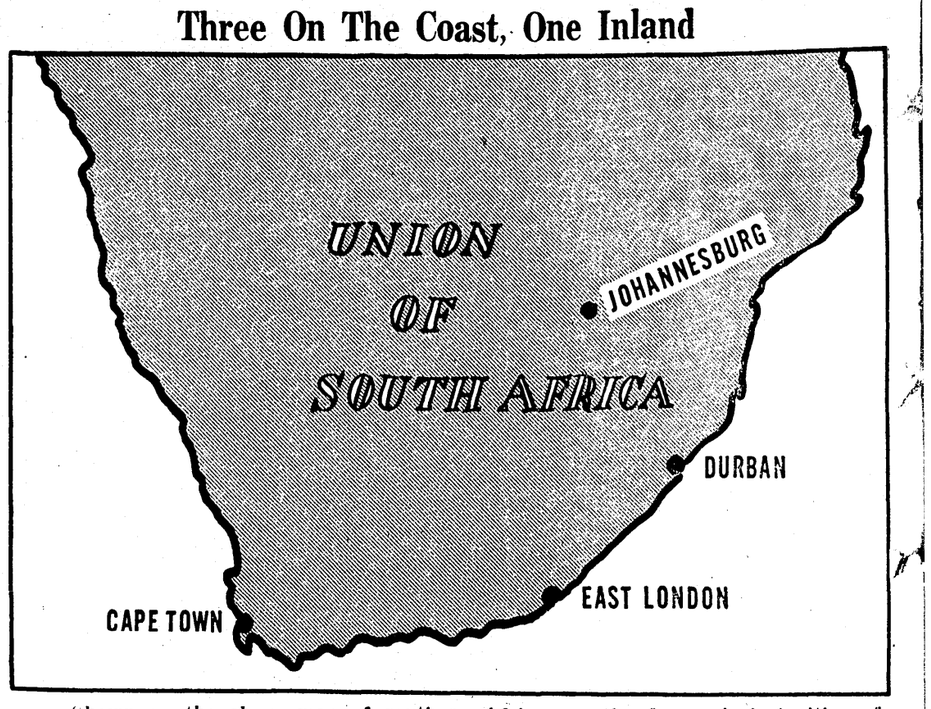

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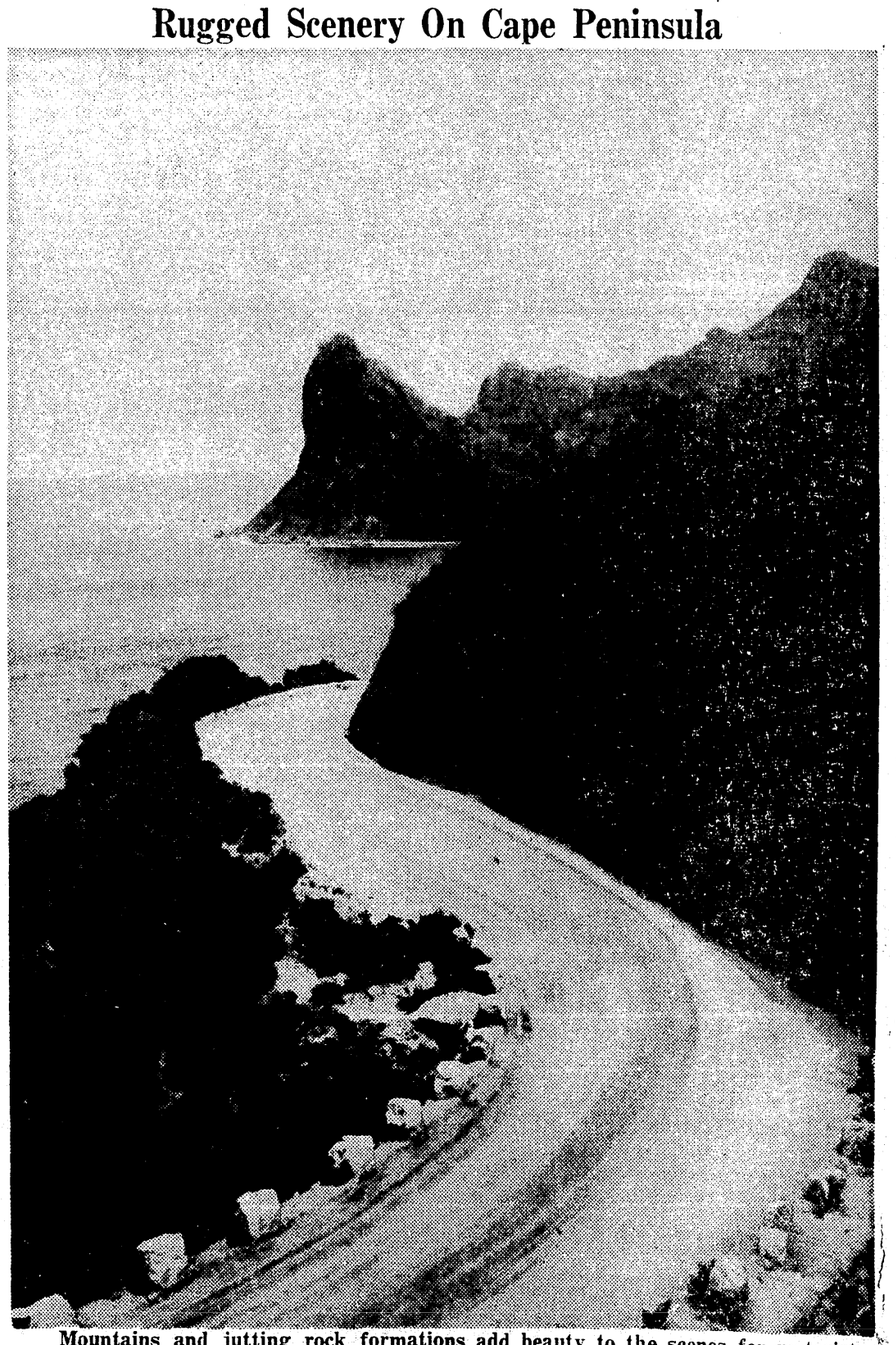

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In an earlier article I told of the hearty welcome we received in the city and the generous hospitality of Gen. Jan Smuts, prime minister of South Africa who has for many years been a prominent figure in world affairs. But I neglected to mention a very lovely outdoor cocktail party which was given by ex-Marine General Holcombe and Mrs. Holcombe. He is the American minister in Cape Town.

General and Mrs. Holcombe were charming as host and hostess and the elite of Cape Town attended, including many Americans as well as Europeans.

It was while I was at this party that a Marine captain, aide to General Holcombe, and his very attractive wife drew me aside and gave me one of the messages I received via amateur radio from Bill Anthony, chief engineer of The Times' radio station, KWKH, in Shreveport, bringing me word from my family in Shreveport.

A number of messages reached me in this manner while I was in South Africa and I was grateful for the direct word from home. I received one through J. G. Swart of Cape Town while I was having dinner with General Smuts there. Other "ham" operators who talked with Mr. Antony and gave me word from home included E. A. Myers of Johannesburg, S. F. Poole of Botriver, W. S. vasStaden at Krugersdorp and F. H. Flater at Cape Town.

These amateur radio operators would see to it that the word which came from Mr. Antony reached me somehow, either by phone or messenger. In several cases, they told Mr Antony something I had said, and in one instance an operator who called me by phone repeated the conversation to Mr. Antony in Shreveport less than 10 minutes later.

While the South African government has rigid restrictions on the transmission of messages by amateur radio, all barriers were down to permit the transmission of word to me from Mr. Anthony, and vice versa. It was an example of the courteous hospitality we encountered at every step in South Africa.

Cape Town, the legislative capital of the South African Union, is situated at the head of Cape Peninsula, and at the foot of the peninsula, 30 miles away, is the Cape of Good Hope, the southern tip of the African continent.

It is an awe-inspiring sight, as one flies over Cape Town, to see the city nestling in a semi-circle facing the sea, with the huge flat-topped bulk of Table Mountain looming in the background. Bad weather which followed us on much of our South African journey prevented us from going to the top of Table Mountain, to see the view of the city from that vantage spot, but the secenic delights of the Cape Peninsula were apparent.

Much of the city is built on the lower slopes of Table Mountain, now completely circling it. The slopes are wooded and provide a handsome setting for gardens and estates. Cape Town's Table bay can handle the largest vessels.

Adding to the pleasure of life in Cape Town are several seacoast resorts which remind one of the French Riviera or the Florida and Gulf coasts, with many apartments and hotels close to the beach and surf. The early Dutch influence is particularly noticeable in Cape Town architecture, more so than in Johannesburg or Durban.

Nearly three hundred years ago, a young ship's surgeon sent out by the Dutch East Indies company founded Cape Town, and the city was in the hands of the Dutch until nearly 1800, when it came under British control.

Since 1910, Cape Town has been a part of South Africa which is virtually independent, as an autonomous dominion that is part of the British Empire. But the Dutch influence is still strong in the old Cape City and contributes much to its picturesqueness for travelers who are coming to it in increasing numbers.

The fourth city in South Africa entertaining us as guests was East London, a small but attractive port located midway between Durban and Cape Town and made famous last year by the christening of a new dry dock by Princess Elizabeth during the Royal family's trip around the world. I was told that excellent fishing is to be had there. This is a great beach resort and many were swimming although the temperature at the time was between 55 and 60 degrees.

We were entertained on our overnight visit, being guests of the East London Publicity Association at a fine dinner at the Beach hotel.

In a brief talk at the dinner, Mr. Harry T. Andrews, South African minister to the United States who made the flight from New York with us, stressed the similarity of temperament of Americans and South Africans.

"Both nations have a love of freedom and uphold the principles of free enterprise," he said. "America has gone ahead and South Africa will try humbly to follow in her footsteps." It was here that Publisher Roy Howard made the "wittiest" speech of our trip.

In this connection, I should mention that South Africa is an excellent market for American products. During 1947, approximately 13,000 automobiles manufactured in the United States were imported by South Africa, and during the year Ford, General Motors, Chrysler and Studebaker erected assembly plants there. Goodyear and Firestone had already built South African subsidiary plants.

We saw more American automobiles than any other type in the South African cities. All of the cars have right-hand drive, and traffic takes the left hand side of the street, instead of the right, as at home. There were relatively few traffic signals and to us the movement of traffic seemed a confusing hodge-podge. But we saw no accidents.

In my next and final article I shall tell of our return trip, which included visits at Leopoldville, in the Belgian Congo, and the great city of Lisbon, in Portugal.

But before taking leave of the South African Union, I should add to the words of praise I have already written concerning that country and its people.

South Africa and its people deserve and should have the cordial friendship of the United States. The white population of that country has many American characteristics, including love of democracy and craving for progress. In some respects, notably in the maintainance of a balanced budget for many years, the South African mode of self-rule is superior to our own.

The present government is by a coalition of parties, and for many years General Jan Smuts has been the prime minister. He is exceedingly popular throughout the whole country, not just because he is a national hero and a world figure, but because he is an able leader. At the age of 78, he appears to be a man of 62 or 63, vigorous and alert, well-informed on all world topics and problems.

Everywhere we went, we found a hospitable welcome. The South Africa of today no longer looks to London as the hub of the earth's activity. In 1947, South Africans spent nearly a half billion dollars in the United States, more than double the total for 1946. Surely it is in the interests of the United States to increase commerce with South Africa, not only in the exchange of goods but in passenger travel and tourist trade.

As we look toward a future which seems darkly clouded, we should regard South Africa as a staunch white ally. It is a country which upholds the principles we uphold, a country which is just now passing through the pioneering period which came to our own great Southwest and West late in the last century.

The friendship which the two countries already feel for each other should be cemented more closely, to become one of the great guardians of liberty in the world.

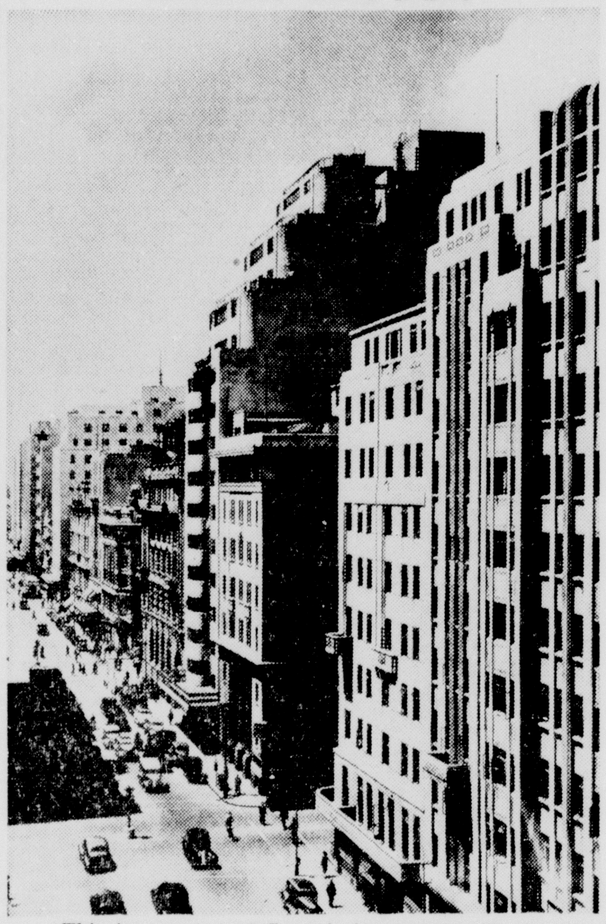
(The fourth and final article in this series, telling of the return flight to New York and to Shreveport, with visits at Leopoldville in the Belgian Congo and Lisbon, Portugal, will appear in the World Wednesday).

About 40 per cent of the timber taken from American forests is used as lumber. Fuel takes 28 per cent, pulp takes 6 per cent and other uses consume 11 per cent. Fire and insects destroy 15 per cent.

Next Article Will Tell Of Visit In Lisbon

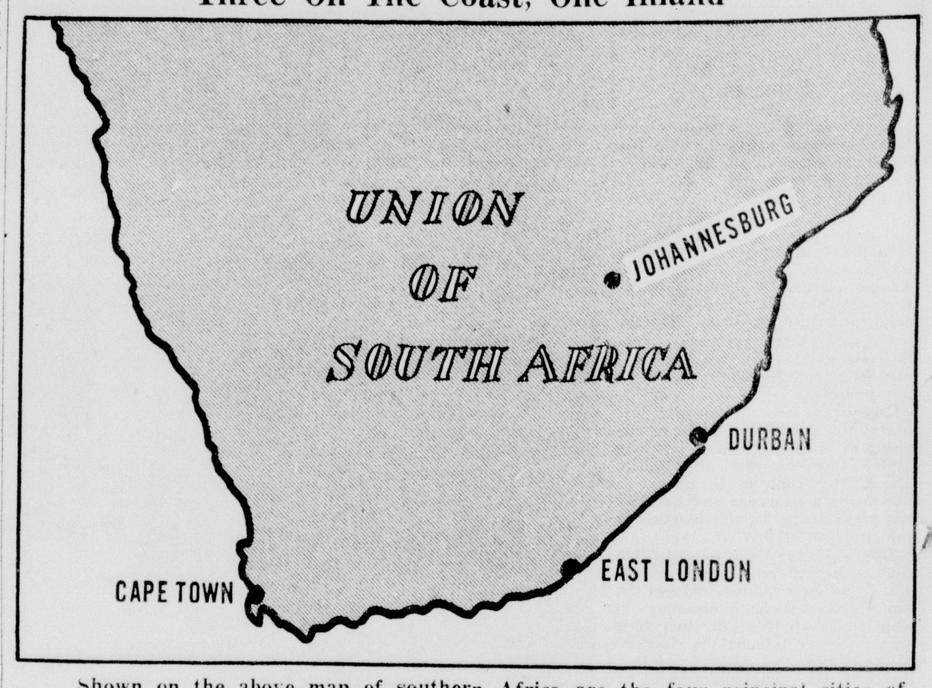
The fourth and final article of this series by John D. Ewing, president, Monroe Morning World and News-Star, will tell of the homebound trip of Pan American Airways' Clipper Southern Cross, completing the inaugural round trip flight from New York to Johannesburg. The article will appear Wednesday and will describe visits in Leopoldville, Belgian Congo, and Lisbon, capital of Portugal.

A Street Gold Built



This is a sector of Commissioners street in downtown Johannesburg, a city which itself is on a gold reef. After the discovery of gold in the 1880's, Johannesburg grew by leaps and bounds, from a small hamlet to become the largest city in South Africa.

Three On The Coast, One Inland

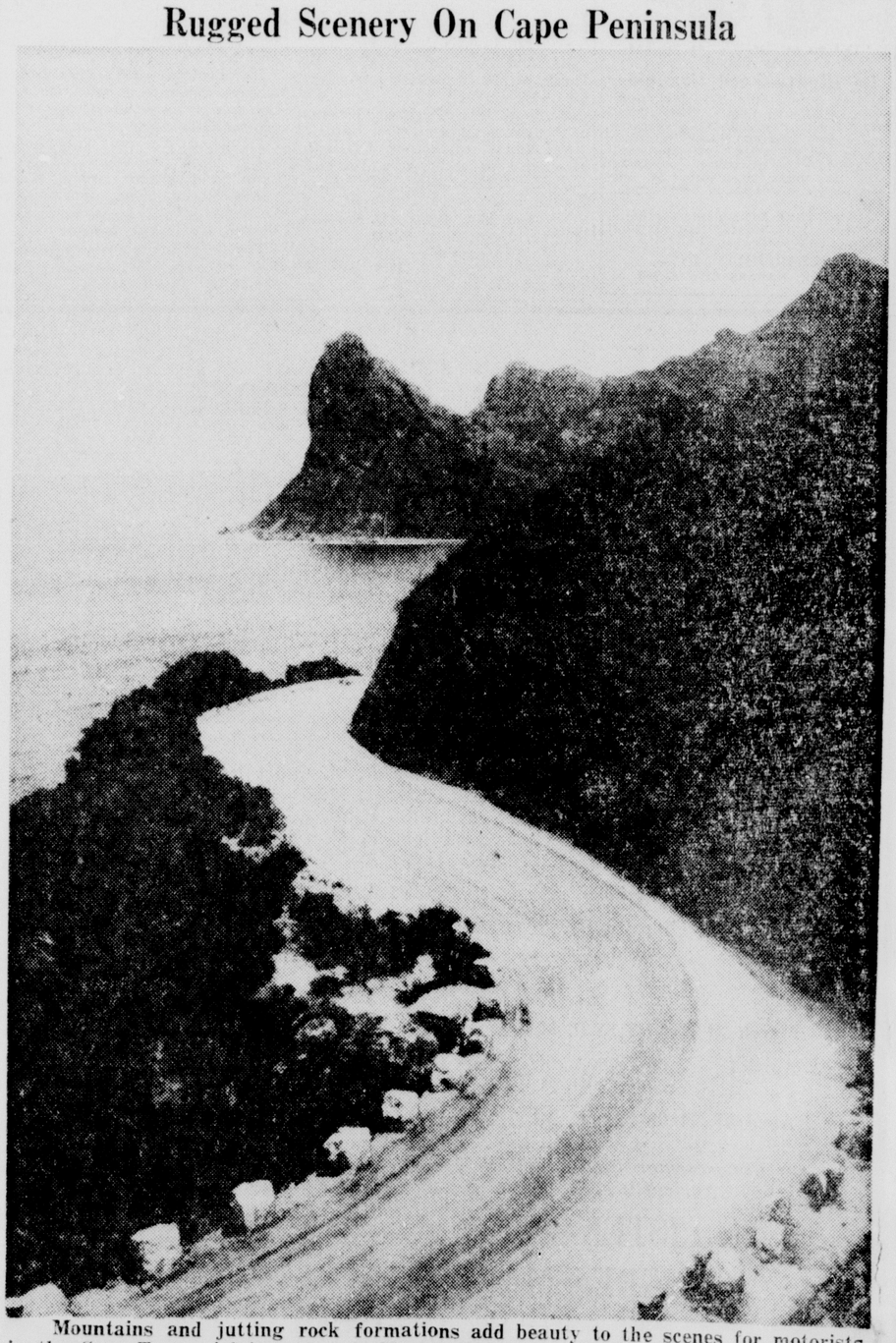


Shown on the above map of southern Africa are the four principal cities of the South African Union. The largest, Johannesburg, is inland in the gold country, close to Kruger National Park. The other three, Cape Town, East London and Durban, range along the coast at the continent's southern tip.

Zulu Prince And Aides In Full War Regalia

Shown before a native dwelling in Durban are a Zulu prince and his two aides, wearing full war regalia. South African cities offer unique contrasts, there being wide areas matching the most modern American cities and outlying sections where many ancient African customs are preserved by the native population. Away from the cities, in the hinterlands, life goes on among the tribesmen much as it has for centuries past.

Rugged Scenery On Cape Peninsula



Mountains and jutting rock formations add beauty to the scenes for motorists in the Cape Town vicinity. Here is Marine Drive, not far from the city, a favorite route for travelers on Cape Peninsula.

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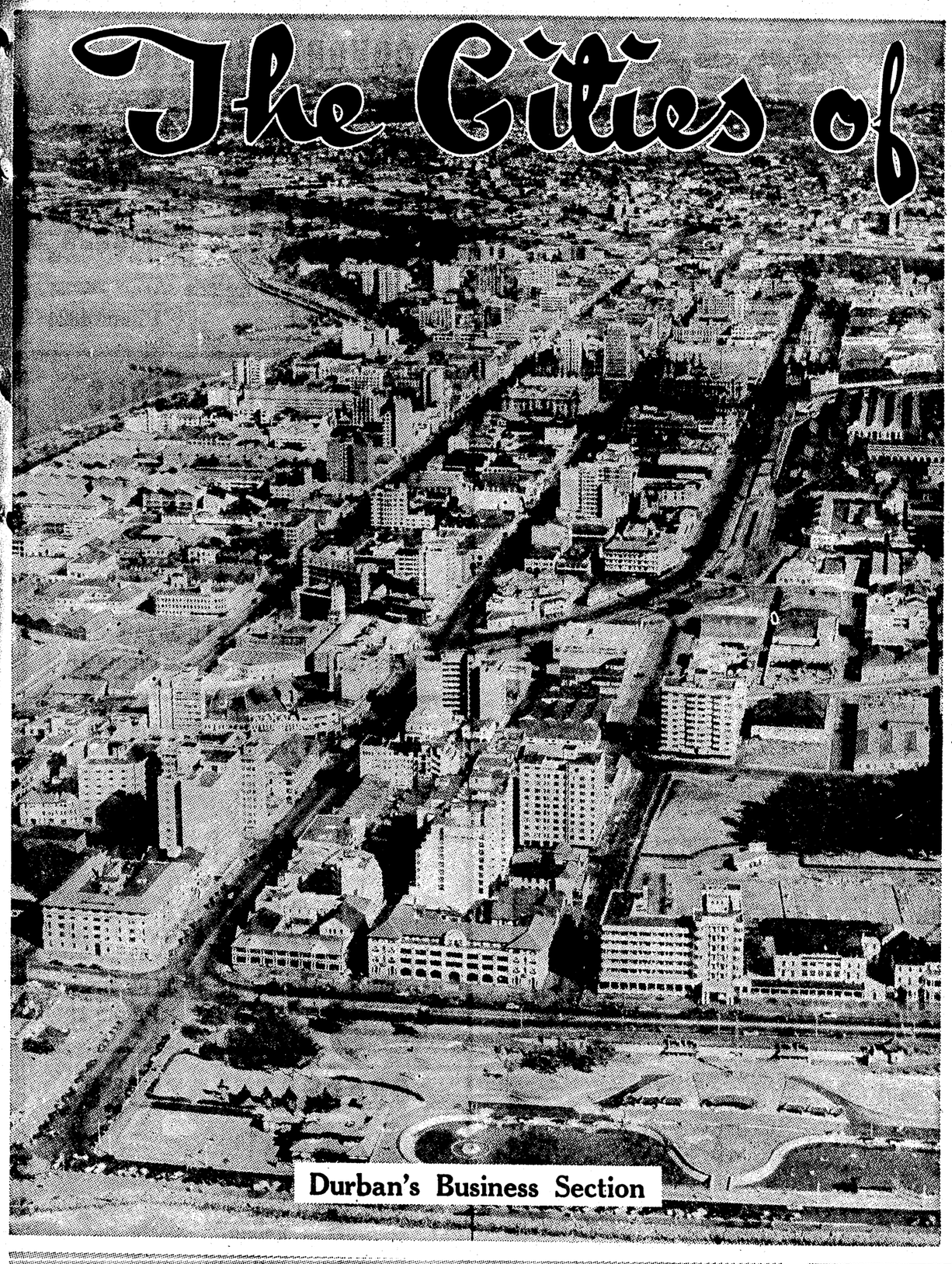

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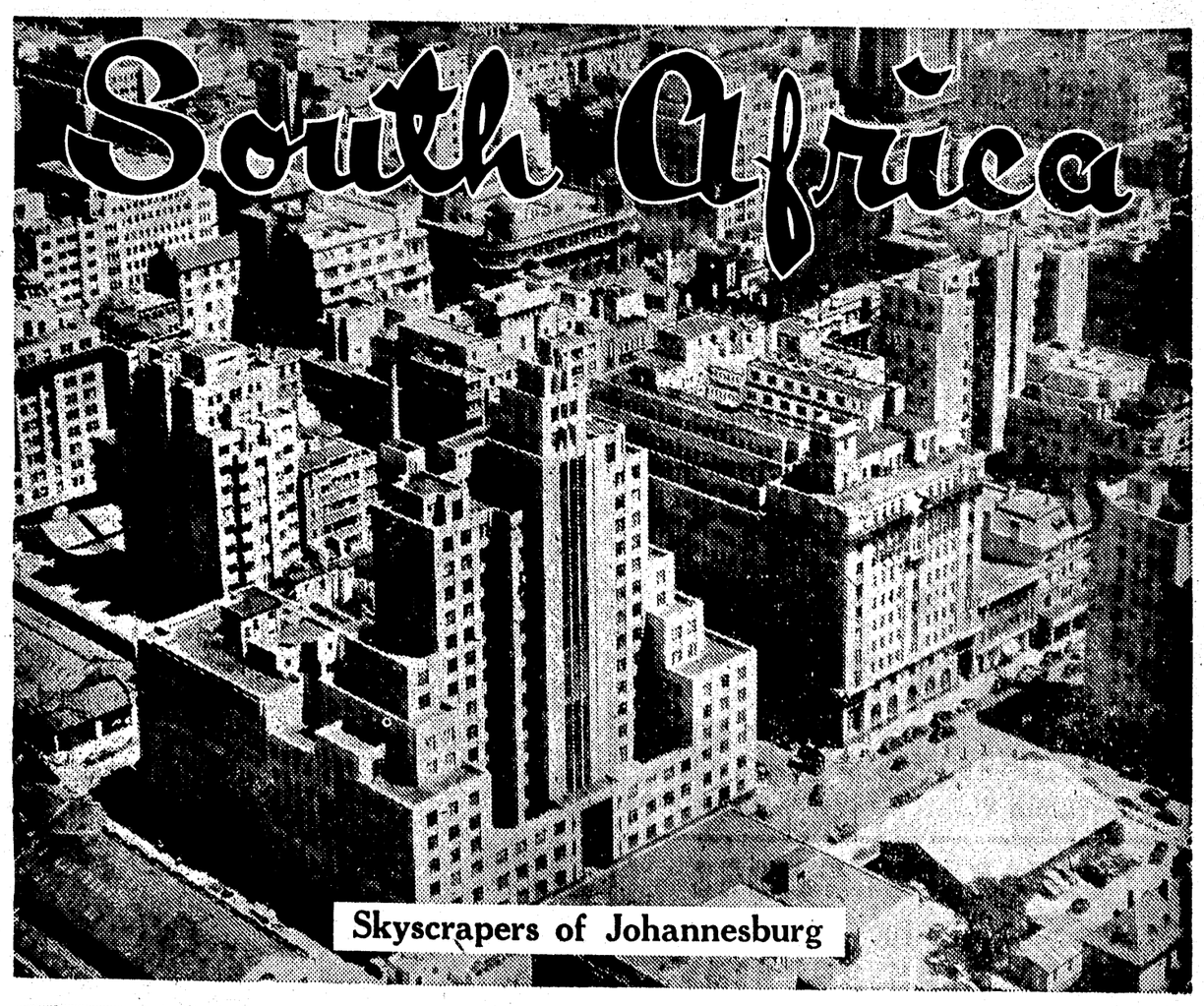

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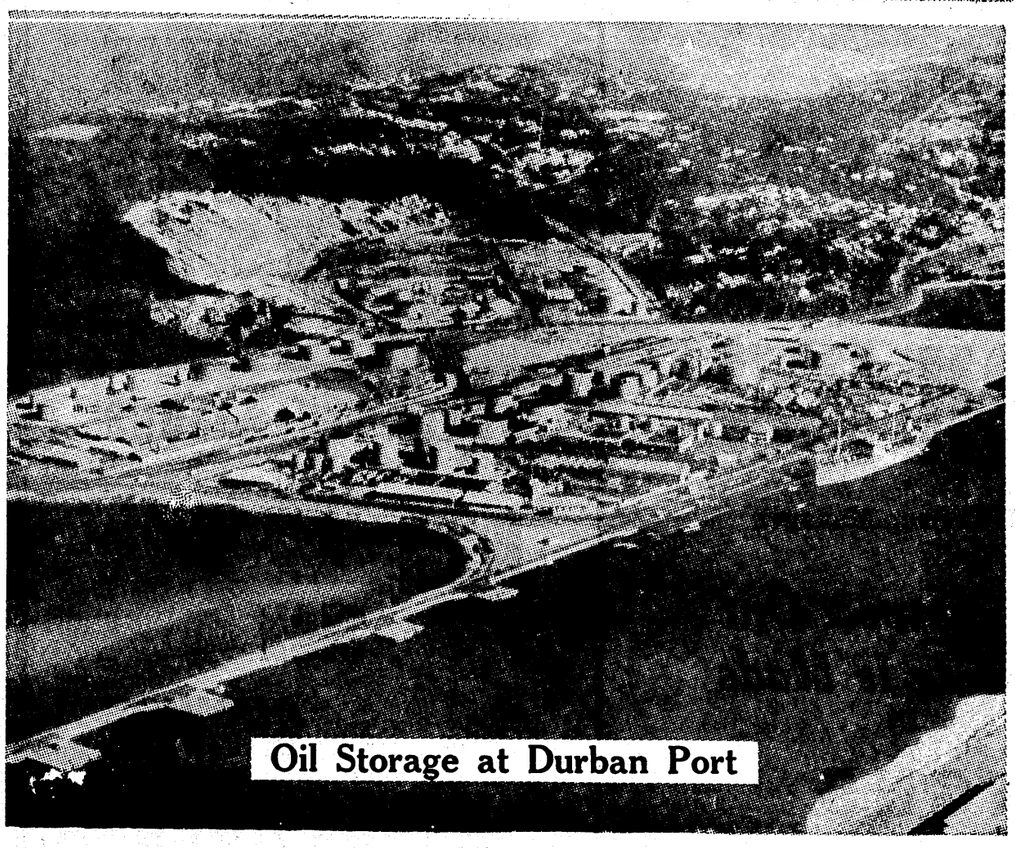

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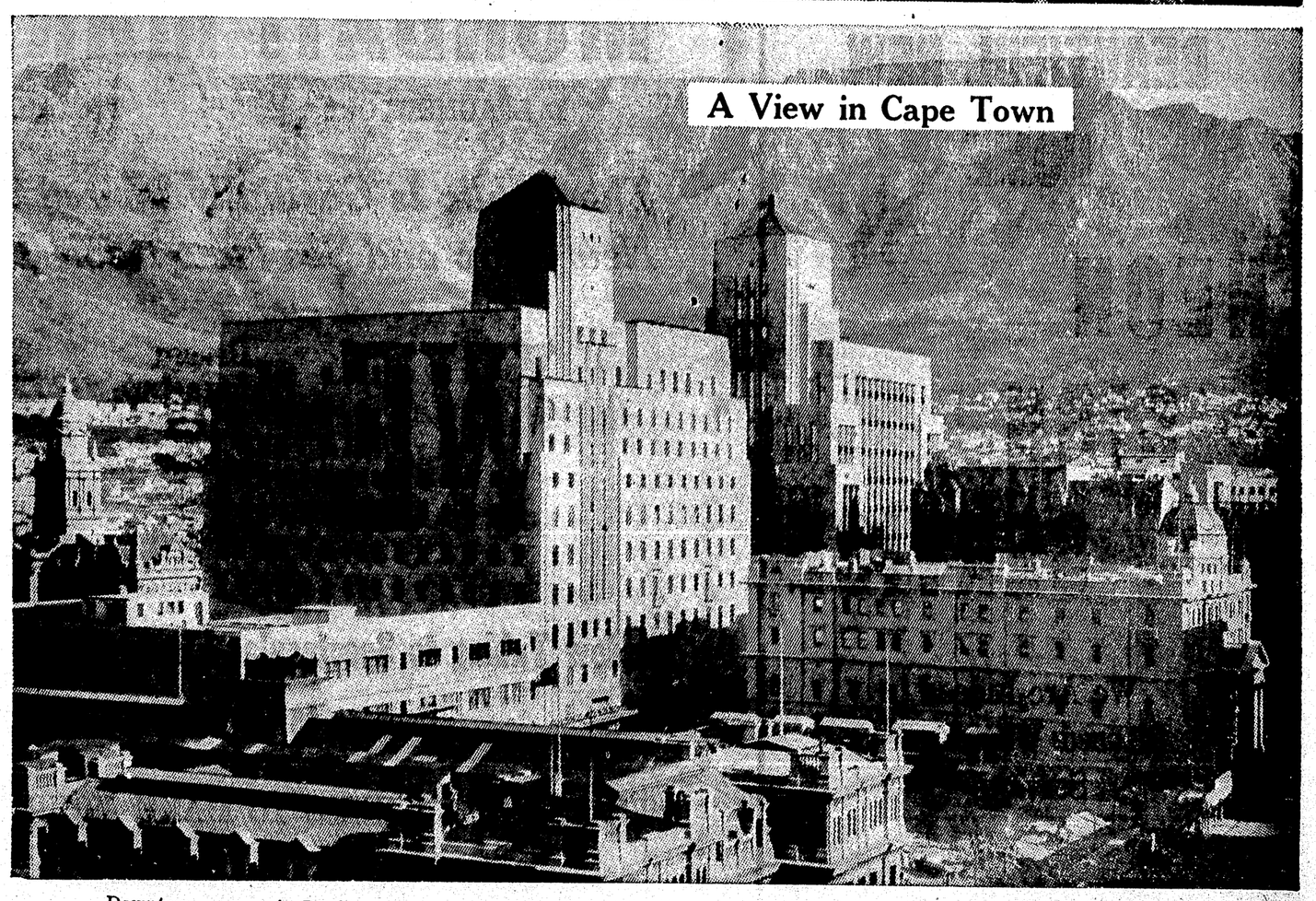

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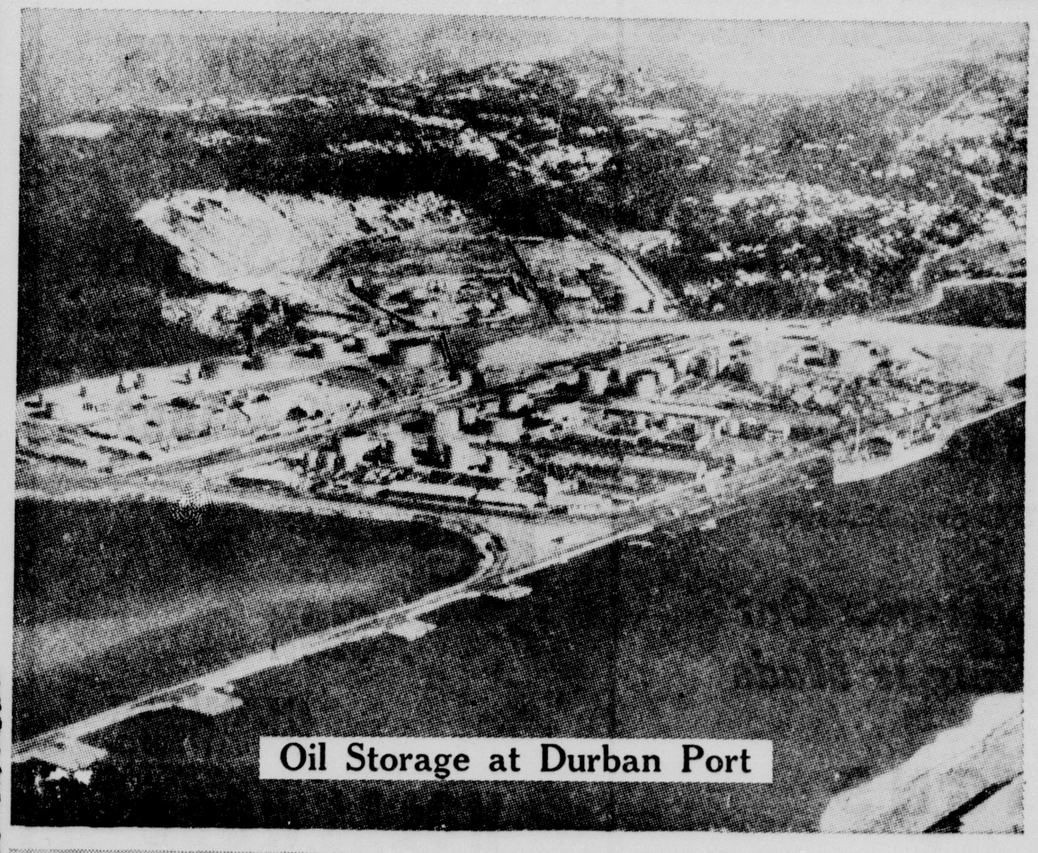

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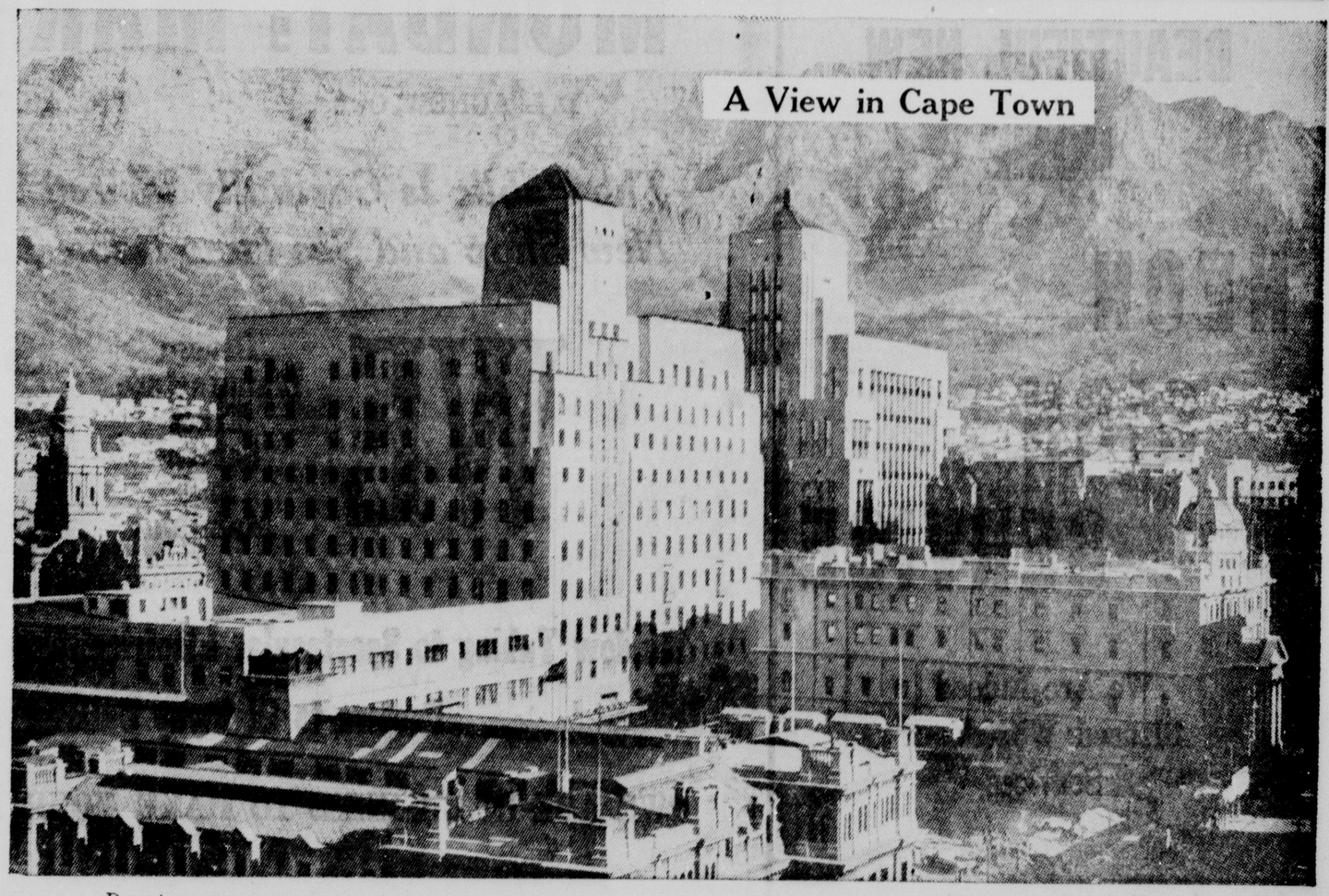

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NEON SERVICE FORMAL OPENING

D. L. Agnew Of Neon Sign Service Company Schedules Big Day Monday

Monday morning marks the formal opening of a completely new shop for the Neon Sign Service Company, owned and operated by D. L. Agnew at 507 North Seventh street, Monroe.

A cordial invitation has been extended to the public to inspect the newly purchased and remodeled building all Monday. Demonstration of the difficult technique of bending tubing and other construction phases will be given throughout the day.

Assisting Mr. Agnew in direction of work at the shop will be his son, Thomas C. Agnew, a veteran of World War II, who fills the manager's job with complete thoroughness.

Other employees in the establishment will be B. V. Morris, B. R. Brazzill, D. L. Conerly, L. A. Takewall, and Chester Barney. Five of the workers, including Thomas Agnew, are veterans of the recent war. One of the group is taking advantage of GI on-the-job-training, a program which the business encourages.

All signs manufactured by Mr. Agnew are fashioned to comply with the strict regulations of the National Board of Fire Underwriters and carry their label in addition, Mr. Agnew said, to the union label.

The company has recently engaged in constructing bulletin boards along all main highways. Neon will be used for illumination on several of these billboards. Others will depend upon the use of a new reflector material used extensively in the East.

Mr. Agnew has had 22 years experience in the neon industry. Others in his shop are top craftsmen in this line, the owner says. He feels positive that his new plant can live up to the slogan, "We are in business to make business for you."

Mackenzie's Column

By DeWitt Mackenzie
(Associated Press Foreign Affairs Analyst)

This vexing question of whether our Uncle Sam should, or should not, inaugurate universal military training is bringing me a good many inquiries from people who are in doubt but are trying to figure the thing out honestly and unselfishly.

Well, it's a compliment to be consulted but frankly I am at this writing of an open mind on the general issue of peace-time military training. The chief positive thought I have in the matter is that, if Congress should decide such training to be essential for defense, it is to be hoped it can be arranged so not to interfere with educations or careers.

Having said this I must admit that my outlook may be somewhat fogged by the fact that I have a seventeen-year-old son in his first year of college. There are a lot of parents in the same boat. Naturally we should like to see the thing worked out so not to raise obstacles for youngsters. Who wouldn't?

However, if compulsory training is necessary, I can't see why it shouldn't be possible to arrive at some happy medium which would meet all interests, especially since we wouldn't be preparing for an immediate emergency (that would have to be handled by a draft) but for distant contingencies. Switzerland, for instance, claims to have found a perfect solution, as I discovered when in that country a couple of years ago. Their system, if memory serves me right, runs something like this:

Physical training of boys, to fit them for military instruction, begins in high school. But physical perfection is only one aim of this preparatory work, for the youths are trained in civic duty and are inspired with a vast pride in their fitness to undertake the military training.

Of course not all boys go to college, but the military program is adapted to all circumstances. The training is divided into four periods of three months each and is carried out in the summer. This means that the university work isn't interrupted, and the military and academic courses are completed at about the same.

If the body goes to work as soon as he finishes high school, his employer under the law has to release him for the four three-month periods. The employer also continues the salary during these periods and grants the regular yearly vacation as well. Also—and this is important—the employer must maintain the employe's seniority despite these absences.

The result of this program is that every able-bodies man in Switzerland has had military training. And patriotism runs high. The Swiss think it is a grand system. Whether it would be equally successful in other countries is of course a matter of speculation. I cite it merely as an interesting example of one way of handling compulsory military training, where such training is a vital. It is necessary for Switzerland because of her small size and vulnerable position. The need might not be so pressing in some other countries.

In any event, the moral of our story is that it must be the aim of any program of military training to keep it from being disruptive of the normal way of life so far as possible.

STONEWALL LODGE CONFERS DEGREE

Stonewall lodge No. 8, Knights of Pythias held a well attended meeting last Thursday. The next meeting will be on April 1 at 127 1/2 St. John street at 8 p. m. (note change of time). At this meeting the rank of page will be conferred. Knights are urged to bring candidates for this degree.

J. J. Dietrich, royal vizier of El Miro Temple No. 187, Knights of Phorassan, will not have the ceremonial on April 3, he states, but asks that all Dokeys attend the next meeting Monday April 5 at 8 p. m. There will be a business meeting and plans will be formulated for the holding of the district ceremonial May 8. The imperial officer will be a guest.

THE NATION TODAY
By JAMES MARLOW

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second of two stories on the new rent control bill which is expected to become law by April 1.)

By James Marlow

WASHINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—Here's an A B C on rent controls in this country after April 1.

A rent control bill was passed by Congress two days ago. President Truman almost certainly will sign it into law by April 1.

Then it will control rents for the 12 months between April 1, 1948, and March 31, 1949. It will be treated in this story as if it already were law.

Can a landlord raise your rent in those 12 months? No, except under these three conditions:

1. You voluntarily agree to an increase but when you so agree you sign a lease. The landlord can't force you to agree or to sign a lease.

2. The area rent control director permits the landlord to raise your rental. If this happens, the director will tell you so in writing.

3. The government has approved a rent increase for the general area in which you live.

But—if you agree to a rent raise in exchange for a lease—then remember these two things because they're important to you:

1. The rent increase must not be more than 15 per cent above the rent the landlord got for your living quarters on June 30, 1947.

2. The lease must run at least through December 31, 1949. Note that date: December 31, 1949, not December 31, 1948.

Although the new law runs from April 1, 1948, to March 31, 1949, any lease you sign—agreeing to an increase—must be signed between April 1, 1948, and December 31, 1948.

Why would anybody sign a lease agreeing to an increase? You might sign for this reason:

Congress may, or may not, kill rent controls altogether when the new law ends March 31, 1949.

If it kills them after March 31, 1949, then a landlord will be free to raise your rent any amount.

If you sign a lease that runs till December 31, 1949—even though it means an increase for you—you'll be protected from any other increase till December 31, 1949.

Why does the new law refer back to June 30, 1947?

Why does it say that no rent increase—agreed to between April 1, 1948, and December 31, 1948—can be more than 15 per cent above the rent the landlord got for your place on June 30, 1947?

Because the old rent control law—which dies March 31, 1948—said this:

In the period between June 30, 1947, and December 31, 1947, no landlord could raise a tenant's rent—and then only with the tenant's consent and in exchange for a lease—more than 15 per cent above the rent on June 30, 1947.

The idea behind the new law is to keep rents in general from rising any more than 15 per cent—until March 31, 1949 above what they were on June 30, 1947.

Suppose this happened to you: Between June 30, 1947, and December 31, 1947, you signed a lease, agreeing to some increase up to as much as 15 per cent above June 30, 1947. But your lease runs out December 31, 1948.

That would mean your lease runs out three months before the new law dies on March 31, 1949.

Do you then have to sign a new lease on December 31, 1948, or can the landlord raise your rent after that date? No.

In that case you can sit tight till March 31, 1949, and see whether Congress continues rent controls beyond that date.

This is something else to keep in mind—

In some cases since June 30, 1947, the area rent control director has permitted a landlord—because he was suffering a hardship—to increase his rent above what it was on June 30, 1947.

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NEON SERVICE FORMAL OPENING

D. L. Agnew Of Neon Sign Service Company Schedules Big Day Monday

Monday morning marks the formal opening of a completely new shop for the Neon Sign Service Company, owned and operated by D. L. Agnew at 507 North Seventh street, Monroe.

A cordial invitation has been extended to the public to inspect the newly purchased and remodeled building all Monday. Demonstration of the difficult technique of bending tubing and other construction phases will be given throughout the day.

Assisting Mr. Agnew in direction of work at the shop will be his son, Thomas C. Agnew, a veteran of World War II, who fills the manager's job with complete thoroughness.

Other employees in the establishment will be B. V. Morris, B. R. Brazzill, D. L. Conerly, L. A. Takewall, and Chester Barney. Five of the workers, including Thomas Agnew, are veterans of the recent war. One of the group is taking advantage of GI on-the-job-training, a program which the business encourages.

All signs manufactured by Mr. Agnew are fashioned to comply with the strict regulations of the National Board of Fire Underwriters and carry their label in addition, Mr. Agnew said, to the union label.

The company has recently engaged in constructing bulletin boards along all main highways. Neon will be used for illumination on several of these billboards. Others will depend upon the use of a new reflector material used extensively in the East.

Mr. Agnew has had 22 years experience in the neon industry. Others in his shop are top craftsmen in this line, the owner says. He feels positive that his new plant can live up to the slogan, "We are in business to make business for you."

Mackenzie's Column

By DeWitt Mackenzie
(Associated Press Foreign Affairs Analyst)

This vexing question of whether our Uncle Sam should, or should not, inaugurate universal military training is bringing me a good many inquiries from people who are in doubt but are trying to figure the thing out honestly and unselfishly.

Well, it's a compliment to be consulted but frankly I am at this writing of an open mind on the general issue of peace-time military training. The chief positive thought I have in the matter is that, if Congress should decide such training to be essential for defense, it is to be hoped it can be arranged so not to interfere with educations or careers.

Having said this I must admit that my outlook may be somewhat fogged by the fact that I have a seventeen-year-old son in his first year of college. There are a lot of parents in the same boat. Naturally we should like to see the thing worked out so not to raise obstacles for youngsters. Who wouldn't?

However, if compulsory training is necessary, I can't see why it shouldn't be possible to arrive at some happy medium which would meet all interests, especially since we wouldn't be preparing for an immediate emergency (that would have to be handled by a draft) but for distant contingencies. Switzerland, for instance, claims to have found a perfect solution, as I discovered when in that country a couple of years ago. Their system, if memory serves me right, runs something like this:

Physical training of boys, to fit them for military instruction, begins in high school. But physical perfection is only one aim of this preparatory work, for the youths are trained in civic duty and are inspired with a vast pride in their fitness to undertake the military training.

Of course not all boys go to college, but the military program is adapted to all circumstances. The training is divided into four periods of three months each and is carried out in the summer. This means that the university work isn't interrupted, and the military and academic courses are completed at about the same.

If the body goes to work as soon as he finishes high school, his employer under the law has to release him for the four three-month periods. The employer also continues the salary during these periods and grants the regular yearly vacation as well. Also—and this is important—the employer must maintain the employe's seniority despite these absences.

The result of this program is that every able-bodies man in Switzerland has had military training. And patriotism runs high. The Swiss think it is a grand system. Whether it would be equally successful in other countries is of course a matter of speculation. I cite it merely as an interesting example of one way of handling compulsory military training, where such training is a vital. It is necessary for Switzerland because of her small size and vulnerable position. The need might not be so pressing in some other countries.

In any event, the moral of our story is that it must be the aim of any program of military training to keep it from being disruptive of the normal way of life so far as possible.

STONEWALL LODGE CONFERS DEGREE

Stonewall lodge No. 8, Knights of Pythias held a well attended meeting last Thursday. The next meeting will be on April 1 at 127 1/2 St. John street at 8 p. m. (note change of time). At this meeting the rank of page will be conferred. Knights are urged to bring candidates for this degree.

J. J. Dietrich, royal vizier of El Miro Temple No. 187, Knights of Phorassan, will not have the ceremonial on April 3, he states, but asks that all Dokeys attend the next meeting Monday April 5 at 8 p. m. There will be a business meeting and plans will be formulated for the holding of the district ceremonial May 8. The imperial officer will be a guest.

THE NATION TODAY
By James Marlow

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second of two stories on the new rent control bill which is expected to become law by April 1.)

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WASHINGTON, March 27.—(AP)—Here's an A B C on rent controls in this country after April 1.

A rent control bill was passed by Congress two days ago. President Truman almost certainly will sign it into law by April 1.

Then it will control rents for the 12 months between April 1, 1948, and March 31, 1949. It will be treated in this story as if it already were law.

Can a landlord raise your rent in those 12 months? No, except under these three conditions:

1. You voluntarily agree to an increase but when you so agree you sign a lease. The landlord can't force you to agree or to sign a lease.

2. The area rent control director permits the landlord to raise your rental. If this happens, the director will tell you so in writing.

3. The government has approved a rent increase for the general area in which you live.

But—if you agree to a rent raise in exchange for a lease—then remember these two things because they're important to you:

1. The rent increase must not be more than 15 per cent above the rent the landlord got for your living quarters on June 30, 1947.

2. The lease must run at least through December 31, 1949. Note that date: December 31, 1949, not December 31, 1948.

Although the new law runs from April 1, 1948, to March 31, 1949, any lease you sign—agreeing to an increase—must be signed between April 1, 1948, and December 31, 1948.

Why would anybody sign a lease agreeing to an increase? You might sign for this reason:

Congress may, or may not, kill rent controls altogether when the new law ends March 31, 1949.

If it kills them after March 31, 1949, then a landlord will be free to raise your rent any amount.

If you sign a lease that runs till December 31, 1949—even though it means an increase for you—you'll be protected from any other increase till December 31, 1949.

Why does the new law refer back to June 30, 1947?

Why does it say that no rent increase—agreed to between April 1, 1948, and December 31, 1948—can be more than 15 per cent above the rent the landlord got for your place on June 30, 1947?

Because the old rent control law—which dies March 31, 1948—said this:

In the period between June 30, 1947, and December 31, 1947, no landlord could raise a tenant's rent—and then only with the tenant's consent and in exchange for a lease—more than 15 per cent above the rent on June 30, 1947.

The idea behind the new law is to keep rents in general from rising any more than 15 per cent—until March 31, 1949—above what they were on June 30, 1947.

Suppose this happened to you: Between June 30, 1947, and December 31, 1947, you signed a lease, agreeing to some increase up to as much as 15 per cent above June 30, 1947. But your lease runs out December 31, 1948.

That would mean your lease runs out three months before the new law dies on March 31, 1949.

Do you then have to sign a new lease on December 31, 1948, or can the landlord raise your rent after that date? No.

In that case you can sit tight till March 31, 1949, and see whether Congress continues rent controls beyond that date.

This is something else to keep in mind—

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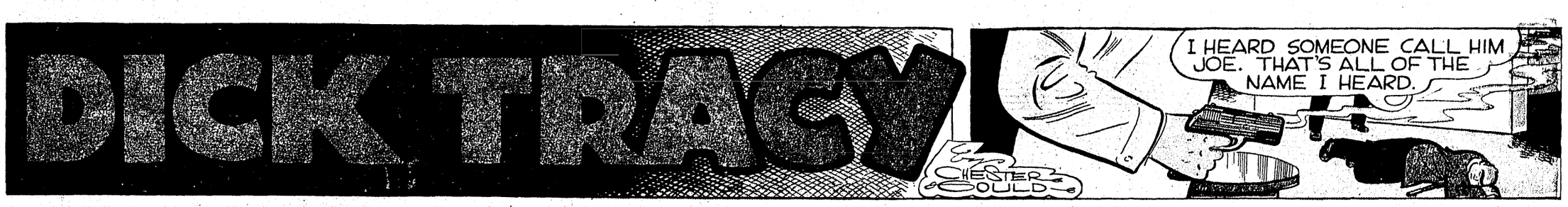

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JUST A FIGURE OF SPEECH!---SOME PEOPLE LIKE TO TALK ABOUT THEIR SYMP-TOMS!

I'D LIKE TO SEE MR. LA MENTER GET SOME GOOD HEALTH VUNCE!

CHASS! IT VOULD BE FUN TO SEE HIM SUFFER MIT IT!

HI, FOLKS! I NEFER FELT VORSE IN MY LIFE!---HOO-RAY!

LOOK, MAMA! MR. LA MENTER ISS HAPPY DOT HE FEELS SO BAD!

HIMMEL!

THAT ISN'T THE REAL MR. LA MENTER!

WHOOPEE! I HAFN'T HAD SUCH A PAIN IN DER STUMMICK SINCE I HAD MY APPENDYSEETIS!

I'M GLAD YOU ISS ENCHOYING DER PAIN!

I HAVE AN IDEA THAT WILL BE HARMLESS BUT EFFECTIVE!

SO?

MRS. KAY, COULD YOU GIF ME SOME EXTRA-RICH PIES VOT VOULD MAKE DER PAIN VORSER?

OKAY, IF IT VILL MAKE YOU HAPPIER!

HOW NICE, MR. LA MENTER, THAT YOU'RE IN SUCH AGONY!

CHASS, MR. LA MENTER! VHILE YOU ISS OUR GUEST VE VANT YOU TO ENCHOY YOURSELLUF!

COME, NOW! A NICE BIG DOSE WILL MAKE YOU FEEL MUCH WORSE!

MAKE OPEN DER HATCH UND SAY, "AH-H!"

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SH-H-H! BEAT IT! HE AIN'T IN DER MOOD FOR VISITORS!

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YOU'LL NEVER GET THAT FLY-YOU'RE TOO SHORT!

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THERE'S YOUR JOB, PAL--KILL THAT FLY!

HMM-FLY-YES, INDEED!

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WELL, GRACIOUS ME, POWDER-POST BEETLES, TOO!

AND-YEP! YEP! ANTS! RED AND BLACK!

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JUST A FIGURE OF SPEECH!---SOME PEOPLE LIKE TO TALK ABOUT THEIR SYMP-TOMS!

I'D LIKE TO SEE MR. LA MENTER GET SOME GOOD HEALTH VUNCE!

CHASS! IT VOULD BE FUN TO SEE HIM SUFFER MIT IT!

HI, FOLKS! I NEFER FELT VORSE IN MY LIFE!---HOO-RAY!

LOOK, MAMA! MR. LA MENTER ISS HAPPY DOT HE FEELS SO BAD!

HIMMEL!

THAT ISN'T THE REAL MR. LA MENTER!

WHOOPEE! I HAFN'T HAD SUCH A PAIN IN DER STUMMICK SINCE I HAD MY APPENDYSEETIS!

I'M GLAD YOU ISS ENCHOYING DER PAIN!

I HAVE AN IDEA THAT WILL BE HARMLESS BUT EFFECTIVE!

SO?

MRS. KAY, COULD YOU GIF ME SOME EXTRA-RICH PIES VOT VOULD MAKE DER PAIN VORSER?

OKAY, IF IT VILL MAKE YOU HAPPIER!

HOW NICE, MR. LA MENTER, THAT YOU'RE IN SUCH AGONY!

CHASS, MR. LA MENTER! VHILE YOU ISS OUR GUEST VE VANT YOU TO ENCHOY YOURSELLUF!

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COME, NOW! A NICE BIG DOSE VILL MAKE YOU FEEL MUCH WORSE!

MAKE OPEN DER HATCH UND SAY, "AH-H!"

HE BETTER ADMIT WHO HE ISS UND TAKE A VALLOPING INSTEAD!

DID HE BRING SOMETHING ON HIM-SELF?

SH-H-H! BEAT IT! HE AIN'T IN DER MOOD FOR VISITORS!

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YOU'LL NEVER GET THAT FLY - YOU'RE TOO SHORT!

YOU'RE RIGHT!

PEST CONTROL SERVICE! THIS IS DONALD DUCK - SEND OUT ONE OF YOUR BEST MEN PRONTO!

THERE'S YOUR JOB, PAL -- KILL THAT FLY!

HMM-FLY-YES, INDEED!

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WELL, WELL, I SEE YOU HAVE SILVERFISH, TOO! TSK..TSK!

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WELL, GRACIOUS ME, POWDER-POST BEETLES, TOO!

AND-YEP! YEP! ANTS! RED AND BLACK!

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DANGER FUMIGATING WITH CYANIDE DEADLY POISON

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BUT, SAHIB! IF ONLY YOU WOULD ALLOW ME TO MAKE AXEL VANISH! THE MAGII WOULD ASSURE THAT HE NEVER WOULD RETURN···

NO, PUNJAB! THAT WOULD BE THE SAME AS IF I WERE TO EXECUTE HIM—

BUT HE IS EVIL AND HE IS YOUR ENEMY···GIVE HIM A TRIAL···· THEN YOU CAN GET RID OF HIM LEGALLY!

NO! OF COURSE HE'S OUR ENEMY···AND HE'S EVIL, AS YOU SAY···

AND I SUPPOSE IT WOULD BE SMART TO FINISH HIM OFF WHILE I HAVE HIM AT MY MERCY··· THE OLD BOYS FIGURED IT THAT WAY···CAESAR···HEROD···ATTILA THE HUN···GENGHIS KHAN···HM·M··· OTHERS WE CAN THINK OF···

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BUT NO··· I STILL DON'T BELIEVE IN KILLING PRISONERS··· BRING HIM IN···

YES, SAHIB···

BAH! YOU SOFT HEARTED, SIMPLE-MINDED FOOL! YOU DID NOT KILL ME··BUT I SHALL KILL YOU··· FOR NOW MY CHANCE SHALL COME AGAIN···

OH, I CAN'T KILL YOU, AXEL··· WHY SHOULD I? I CAN SEE YOUR SIDE, TOO, YOU KNOW···

I WANT TO HELP MY PEOPLE···WELL, YOU WANT TO HELP YOURS···LOOK! WHY NOT WORK TOGETHER? WHY NOT BE FRIENDS?

FRIENDS? BAH! BUT WHAT'S YOUR PROPOSITION?

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ULP!

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GUS EDSON 3-28

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WAAL, WAAL· YE DON'T SAY!!

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WAAL-- BLESS MY BONES!!

PAW, PAW!! WAKE UP!! A MIRACLE'S HAPPENT

RUSTLE YORE BONES, PAW!! YORE FACE'LL BLOW AWAY IF YE DON'T HURRY

YO'RE TETCHED IN TH' HAID, MAW!! TARN ME LOOSE

I TELL YE, PAW, THAT THAR CLOUD IS TH' SPITTIN' IMAGE OF YE

I'LL WRING YORE NECK IF IT HAIN'T

GREAT BALLS O' FIRE!!

FRED LASSWELL

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LI'L ABNER

by AL CAPP

SO THET'S "IT HAIN'T NECESSARILY MOE"!!

HOW COME YO' HAIN'T NECESSARILY MOE?

THAT'S MAH LI'L SECRUT- BUT, TH' FACK REMAINS THET AH IS TH' NEW SOSHUL LEADER O' DOGSPATCH - ON ACCOUNT AH KIN LICK ANYBODY!!

ER- WHEN IS YO' FOLKS LEAVIN' TOWN?

SOON'S YO' PROVES YO' KIN LICK A YOKUM - WHICH IS A DEED NOBODY NEVAH DONE!!

SON!!— YO' AN' ME IS EEKWULLY STRONG!! ONE O' US GOTTA DEFEND OUR TITLE O' WORLD'S CHAMPEEN SOSHUL LEADER O' DOGPATCH!!

YO' DEFENDED TH' TITLE LAST TIME, MAMMY. KIN AH DO IT, THIS TIME?

SARTINLY, CHILE!!— A GROWIN' BOY NEEDS EXERCISE—

T' SPARE YORE MAMMY TH' SIGHT O' HER OWN FLESH AN' BLOOD'S FLESH AN' BLOOD BEIN' SPLATTERED AROUN', LE'S TANGLE IN CORN-PONE'S CAVE!!

DO NOT BE UNNECESSARILY BROOTAL T'NECESSARILY MOE, SON!!

HO! HO! THIS'LL SETTLE WHO'S TH' SOSHUL LEADER O' DOGPATCH - HIM - OR ME!!

BOP!

OH, PORE NECESSARILY MOE!!—

HE WARN'T A BAD SORT!!

WHAM!!

IT'S OVER!! THAR GO "IT HAIN'T NECESSARILY MOE"!!

GULP!— IT HAIN'T NECESSARILY "MOE," IS RIGHT! IT'S LI'L ABNER!!

HOW DID IT HAPPEN SON?

AH DUNNO! HE HELD BOTH MAH HANDS BEHINE MAH BACK, WIF BOTH HIS HANDS—

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GOT YO!!

SO YO' WERE TH' OTHER PAIR O' HANDS — AN' TH' NEW SOSHUL LEADER O' DOGPATCH HAIN'T NECESSARILY MOE!!

NOT NO MO', HE HAIN'T!!

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Al Capp

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TARZAN

by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS

AS TARZAN THREADED HIS WAY UNOBTRUSIVELY AMONG THE LABORING SLAVES, AN ARROGANT, LEERING MATABELE GRASPED JANE'S ARM AND THRUST HER ROUGHLY TOWARD THE PIT. "DIG, WHITE WOMAN!" SNARLED THE GUARD. "STOP ONCE, AND I'LL CUT YOU TO RIBBONS WITH THIS WHIP."

THE STARTLED MATABELE REELED, SCREAMING IN PAIN, AS THE CRUDE SPADE SHEARED THROUGH THE FLESH OF HIS FACE TO THE BONE.

AGAIN JANE RAISED THE CRUDE SPADE AND RUSHED THE ASTOUNDED MATABELE.

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THE GUARD TORE THE SPADE FROM JANE'S HANDS AND THREW HER TO THE GROUND, AS THE OTHER GUARDS RUSHED FORWARD. SAVAGELY, HE ADVANCED WITH LASHING WHIP.

CONCEALMENT NO LONGER POSSIBLE, TARZAN SPRANG FORWARD. THE GREAT KNIFE WHISTLED ABOVE HIS HEAD AS THE SAVAGE CRY OF THE GREAT APES RE-ECHOED THROUGH THE CAVERN.

Little Orphan Annie

THEY SAY, "YOU CAN'T KEEP A GOOD MAN DOWN"···AND IT CAN BE PRETTY HARD TO KEEP A BAD MAN LIKE AXEL DOWN, TOO··

BUT, SAHIB! IF ONLY YOU WOULD ALLOW ME TO MAKE AXEL VANISH! THE MAGII WOULD ASSURE THAT HE NEVER WOULD RETURN···

NO, PUNJAB! THAT WOULD BE THE SAME AS IF I WERE TO EXECUTE HIM··

BUT HE IS EVIL AND HE IS YOUR ENEMY···GIVE HIM A TRIAL···· THEN YOU CAN GET RID OF HIM LEGALLY!

NO! OF COURSE HE'S OUR ENEMY···AND HE'S EVIL, AS YOU SAY···

AND I SUPPOSE IT WOULD BE SMART TO FINISH HIM OFF WHILE I HAVE HIM AT MY MERCY··· THE OLD BOYS FIGURED IT THAT WAY···CAESAR···HEROD···ATTILA THE HUN···GENGHIS KHAN···HM-M··· OTHERS WE CAN THINK OF···

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BUT NO··· I STILL DON'T BELIEVE IN KILLING PRISONERS··· BRING HIM IN···

YES, SAHIB···

BAH! YOU SOFT-HEARTED, SIMPLE-MINDED FOOL! YOU DID NOT KILL ME··BUT I SHALL KILL YOU··FOR NOW MY CHANCE SHALL COME AGAIN···

OH, I CAN'T KILL YOU, AXEL··· WHY SHOULD I? I CAN SEE YOUR SIDE, TOO, YOU KNOW··

I WANT TO HELP MY PEOPLE···WELL, YOU WANT TO HELP YOURS···LOOK! WHY NOT WORK TOGETHER? WHY NOT BE FRIENDS?

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ZACK MOSLEY

ALLEY OOP

by V.T. Hamlin

MY GAWSH, IT'S THE DRAGON! AND THAT GORILLA WHO RAN US OFF WONMUG'S PLACE IS RIDING IT! HOLYCOW! STEP ON IT--I DON'T WANT ANY PART OF HIM!

I GOT 'ER ON TH' FLOOR! WE AIN'T GOT A CHANCE!

WE CAN'T MAKE IT... HOLD EVERYTHING!

OH, BROTHER, WHY DIDN'T I TAKE UP SOMETHING SIMPLE LIKE LAYING BRICKS OR PLUMBING?

CRASH

HEY, YOU NEWSPAPER GUYS... AIN'TCHA GOT ENOUGH SENSE T'KNOW THAT THING WON'T FLOAT?

WE'RE FINDING OUT LOTS OF THINGS WE DIDN'T KNOW! THAT CRITTER... WHAT IS IT?

IT'S A DRAGON, AN OLD CHINESE DRAGON! HE BREATHES SMOKE AN' FIRE, TOO! G'WAN, PAL, DO YOUR STUFF FOR THESE DOPES!

PSST! YOUR CAMERA, QUICK! WE'VE GOTTA GET PICTURES!

FAT CHANCE! IT'S UNDER FOUR FEET OF WATER!

AND NOW IF YOU BIRDS ARE TIRED ROOSTIN' OUT THERE, ME'N' TH' DRAGON'LL HELP Y'HAUL YOUR JALOPY OUTA TH' DRINK!

THANKS, PAL, BUT HOW ARE WE TO GET BACK TO TOWN? THE BUGGY WON'T GO!

YOU GUYS REALLY ARE DUMB, AIN'TCHA? WHAT'S THOSE THINGS Y'GOT SHOES ON?

FEET!

OKAY, USE 'EM!

WELL, ANYWAY, WE GOT A STORY!

YEAH... BUT WHO'LL BELIEVE IT... WITHOUT PICTURES!

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CAPTAIN EASY

WE'VE GOT ENOUGH GRIEF WITHOUT SHOOTIN' STRANGERS, CHAD! IF YOU'VE HAD ENOUGH, LET ME SETTLE THIS!

CHAD'S HOTTER'N A FRESH BRANDIN' IRON BECAUSE RUFE SHOT THE GUN OUTA HIS HAND!

I'M RUFE SPEAR, HALF OWNER OF THE SPEARHART RANCH! HERE COMES MY PARTNER, SADDLE HART, MR.--ER--

EASY'S THE NAME, SUH! CAPTAIN EASY!

I HEARD SHOOTIN'! WHAT'S UP?

JUST A MISUNDERSTANDIN'! IT SEEMS SALLY SHANGHAIED CAPTAIN EASY-- MADE HIM DRIVE HER HERE FROM EL BOZO!

YOUR LETTER WORRIED ME, DAD! I **HAD** TO GET HOME RIGHT AWAY!

I WAS PRETTY SORE, BUT WE'LL FORGET IT! WHAT **IS** YOUR TROUBLE, MR. SPEAR?

IT'S BAD-- DON'T STAY HERE ANY LONGER THAN YOU HAVE TO!

COME INSIDE, CAPTAIN EASY, AND WE'LL TELL YOU ABOUT IT!

SOMEBODY'S TRYIN' TO DRIVE SADDLE AND ME OFF OUR RANCH! READ THIS!

EVERY DAY FROM NOW ON A HOMBRE ON THE Q RANCH WILL GET SHOT AT

AFTER I'M THROUGH, I'LL BET CAPTAIN EASY DON'T LEAVE TILL WE FINISH WHAT WE STARTED!

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

HOW DO YOU LIKE MY NEW EASTER BURLAP, MAJOR?

UM! ISN'T IT A TRIFLE GARISH?

NICE PIECE OF PERCALE YOU'VE GOT THERE, MACK! HOW'S THIS FOR A BONNET?

I SEE YOU'RE BOTH GOING DAFT WITH THIS EASTER FOOLISHNESS!

WHAT'S UP? DID SAM THE TAILOR CUT OFF YOUR CREDIT?

EGAD, NO! BUT EASTER CERTAINLY IS BECOMING HIGHLY COMMERCIALIZED!

OU'RE AS HEERFUL S A OLLING BELL!

GO SLIP OUT OF YOUR SHROUD AND GET A NIGHT'S REST!

PRECISELY WHAT I MEAN TO DO! ~~ NONE OF YOUR EASTER SILLINESS FOR ME! ~~ GOOD NIGHT!

EASTER DAY DAWNS BRIGHT AND CLEAR

10 A.M.

HEAVENS! I OVERSLEPT! I'LL WAGER EVERYONE HAS LEFT THE HOUSE!

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MAJOR HOOPLE

PEOPLE PAY EXORBITANT PRICES FOR GAUDY FINERY MERELY TO PARADE THEIR VANITY!

BESIDES, SHOWERS ARE FORECAST FOR TOMORROW! IT WILL BE A GOOD DAY TO STAY INDOORS!

HAVE A CIGAR, MY GOOD MAN! ~~ EGAD! ISN'T THAT A CAMERA? ~~ WOULD YOU LIKE PERMISSION TO TAKE MY PICTURE?

HE HAD IT REBLOCKED!

IT WAS CLEANED AND PRESSED!

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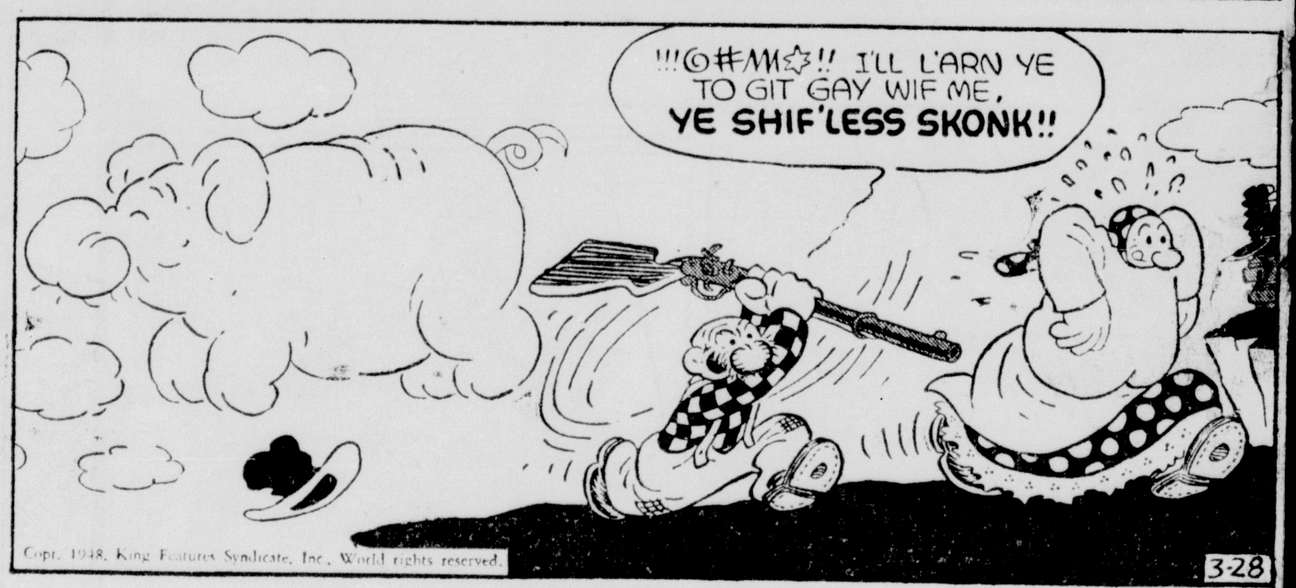

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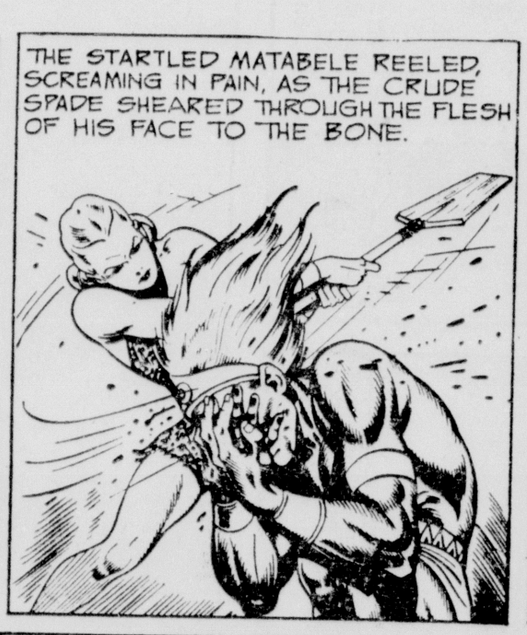

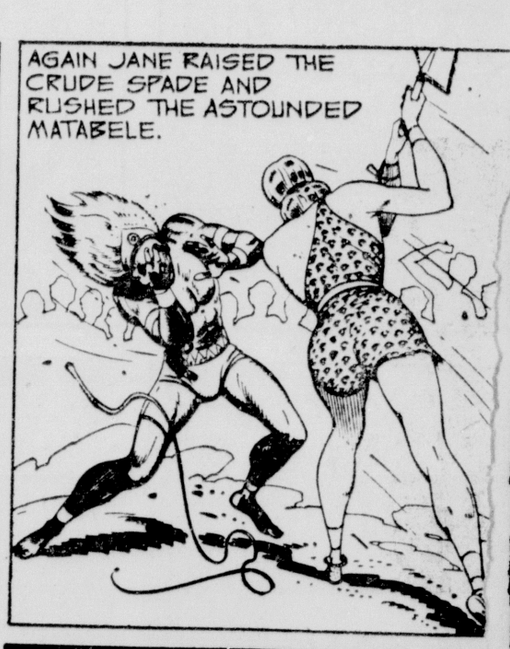

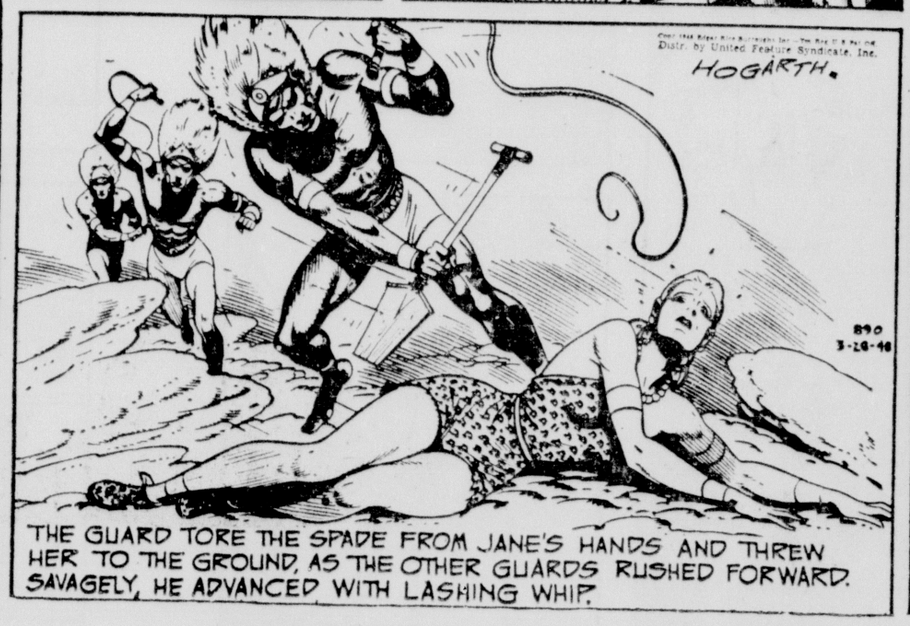

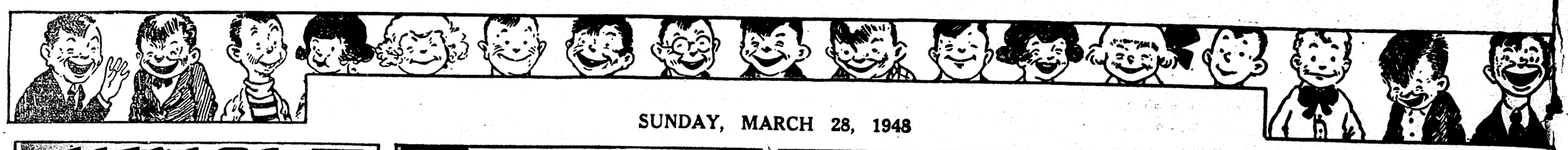

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DZAM SPURS PAST LIL IN AN EFFORT TO AMBUSH JIM AND GET THE LAMA'S GOLD---

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DZAM TRIES TO SHOOT JIM IN THE BACK--BUT LIL SHOOTS FIRST, AND DZAM'S HORSE STUMBLES.

"SAVE ME! I HELP YOU," DZAM WHINES. JIM GROWLS, "TELL ME WHICH LAMA STOLE THE TEMPLE TREASURES AND HIRED YOU TO KILL ME!"

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ALLEY OOP

by V.T. Hamlin

ANGERED BY A COUPLE OF REPORTERS TRYING TO INTERVIEW DR. WONMUG ABOUT A DRAGON, OOP VOWS VENGEANCE.. AND USES HIS NEWEST PET TO HELP HIM MAKE IT STICK.

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MY GAWSH, IT'S THE DRAGON! AND THAT GORILLA WHO RAN US OFF WONMUG'S PLACE IS RIDING IT! HOLYCOW! STEP ON IT--I DON'T WANT ANY PART OF HIM!

I GOT 'ER ON TH' FLOOR! WE AIN'T GOT A CHANCE!

WE CAN'T MAKE IT... HOLD EVERYTHING!

OH, BROTHER, WHY DIDN'T I TAKE UP SOMETHING SIMPLE LIKE LAYING BRICKS OR PLUMBING?

CRASH

HEY, YOU NEWSPAPER GUYS... AIN'TCHA GOT ENOUGH SENSE T'KNOW THAT THING WON'T FLOAT?

WE'RE FINDING OUT LOTS OF THINGS WE DIDN'T KNOW! THAT CRITTER... WHAT IS IT?

IT'S A DRAGON, AN OLD CHINESE DRAGON! HE BREATHES SMOKE AN' FIRE, TOO! G'WAN, PAL, DO YOUR STUFF FOR THESE DOPES!

PSST! YOUR CAMERA, QUICK! WE'VE GOTTA GET PICTURES!

FAT CHANCE! IT'S UNDER FOUR FEET OF WATER!

AND NOW IF YOU BIRDS ARE TIRED ROOSTIN' OUT THERE, ME'N' TH' DRAGON'LL HELP Y'HAUL YOUR JALOPY OUTA TH' DRINK!

THANKS, PAL, BUT HOW ARE WE TO GET BACK TO TOWN? THE BUGGY WON'T GO!

YOU GUYS REALLY ARE DUMB, AIN'TCHA? WHAT'S THOSE THINGS Y'GOT SHOES ON?

FEET!

OKAY, USE 'EM!

WELL, ANYWAY, WE GOT A STORY!

YEAH... BUT WHO'LL BELIEVE IT... WITHOUT PICTURES?

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CAPTAIN EASY

WE'VE GOT ENOUGH GRIEF WITHOUT SHOOTIN' STRANGERS, CHAD! IF YOU'VE HAD ENOUGH, LET ME SETTLE THIS!

CHAD'S HOTTER'N A FRESH BRANDIN' IRON BECAUSE RUFE SHOT THE GUN OUTA HIS HAND!

I'M RUFE SPEAR, HALF OWNER OF THE SPEARHART RANCH! HERE COMES MY PARTNER, SADDLE HART, MR.--ER--

EASY'S THE NAME, SUH! CAPTAIN EASY!

I HEARD SHOOTIN'! WHAT'S UP?

JUST A MISUNDERSTANDIN'! IT SEEMS SALLY SHANGHAIED CAPTAIN EASY--MADE HIM DRIVE HER HERE FROM EL BOZO!

YOUR LETTER WORRIED ME, DAD! I **HAD** TO GET HOME RIGHT AWAY!

I WAS PRETTY SORE, BUT WE'LL FORGET IT! WHAT **IS** YOUR TROUBLE, MR. SPEAR?

IT'S BAD -- DON'T STAY HERE ANY LONGER THAN YOU HAVE TO!

COME INSIDE, CAPTAIN EASY, AND WE'LL TELL YOU ABOUT IT!

SOMEBODY'S TRYIN' TO DRIVE SADDLE AND ME OFF OUR RANCH! READ THIS!

EVERY day FROM NOW ON A hombre ON The RANCH Will GET SHOT at

AFTER I'M THROUGH, I'LL BET CAPTAIN EASY DON'T LEAVE TILL WE FINISH WHAT WE STARTED!

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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HOW DO YOU LIKE MY NEW EASTER BURLAP, MAJOR?

UM! ISN'T IT A TRIFLE GARISH?

NICE PIECE OF PERCALE YOU'VE GOT THERE, MACK! HOW'S THIS FOR A BONNET?

I SEE YOU'RE BOTH GOING DAFT WITH THIS EASTER FOOLISHNESS!

WHAT'S UP? DID SAM THE TAILOR CUT OFF YOUR CREDIT?

EGAD, NO! BUT EASTER CERTAINLY IS BECOMING HIGHLY COMMERCIALIZED!

...U'RE AS CHEERFUL ...S A ...LLING BELL!

GO SLIP OUT OF YOUR SHROUD AND GET A NIGHT'S REST!

PRECISELY WHAT I MEAN TO DO! NONE OF YOUR EASTER SILLINESS FOR ME! GOOD NIGHT!

EASTER DAY DAWNS BRIGHT AND CLEAR

10 A.M.

HEAVENS! I OVERSLEPT! I'LL WAGER EVERYONE HAS LEFT THE HOUSE!

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MAJOR HOOPLE

PEOPLE PAY EXORBITANT PRICES FOR GAUDY FINERY MERELY TO PARADE THEIR VANITY!

BESIDES, SHOWERS ARE FORECAST FOR TOMORROW! IT WILL BE A GOOD DAY TO STAY INDOORS!

HAVE A CIGAR, MY GOOD MAN! EGAD! ISN'T THAT A CAMERA? WOULD YOU LIKE PERMISSION TO TAKE MY PICTURE?

HE HAD IT REBLOCKED!

IT WAS CLEANED AND PRESSED!

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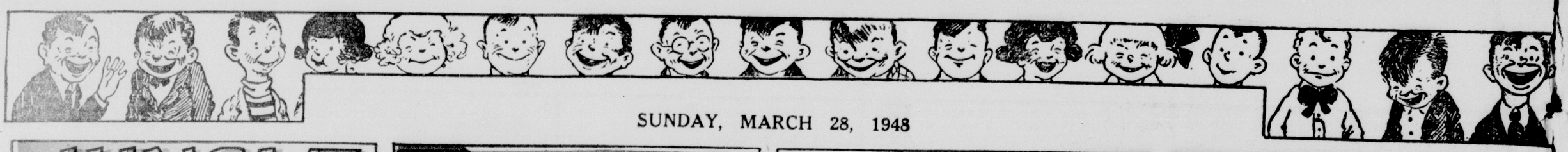

JUNGLE JIM

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DZAM SPURS PAST LIL IN AN EFFORT TO AMBUSH JIM AND GET THE LAMA'S GOLD---

DZAM TRIES TO SHOOT JIM IN THE BACK--BUT LIL SHOOTS FIRST, AND DZAM'S HORSE STUMBLES.

"SAVE ME! I HELP YOU," DZAM WHINES. JIM GROWLS, "TELL ME WHICH LAMA STOLE THE TEMPLE TREASURES AND HIRED YOU TO KILL ME!"

"NO, HE'D MAKE BLACK MAGIC, HAVE ME BORN AGAIN AS A WORM OR A DOG. ME NO TELL. ME DIE FIRST!" DZAM WAILS AND LETS GO. BUT JIM AND KOLU GRAB HIM.

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